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## HAMON PAID MILLION TO ELECT HARDING, CLAIM

### SHORT STORIES

Facts With Frills, Facetions And Otherwise By "S. S."



contains a great deal of all these days.

May rain.

Fog early last night:

Fals alarm this noon.

Officials of the S. P. here on inspection trip.

Laying gas main in rear 300 block Proctor street.

Seventy-two was high mark on yesterday's weather.

Art exhibit at DeQueen school continues through Friday.

Bug criminal docket set for tomorrow in Corporation Court.

London fog, thick and damp, blew into Port Arthur last night.

George M. Craig back home again.

DAILY SHIP SCORE: In Port Arthur, 20; at Beaumont, 3.

Rotarians off to district convention at Wichita Falls next week.

The mere difficulty of lack of power to hoist the anchor kept the tanker Captain from sailing Wednesday, S. E. bears.

A. A. Gunter adjusting his work again today after absence of two days at Navan End.

Constable H. E. Baker, Deputy Sheriff, Chief Covington and Detective Yantis Briceand staged a thrilling footrace last night. They won.

Little Mr. Porter, weight nine pounds, arrived Tuesday to brighten the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Porter, 824 Vickburg avenue.

Master Phillip LeRoy Wallace, weight 10 pounds, is a Port Arthur newcomer. He arrived Sunday and is with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wallace, 2625 Fifth street.

Desmond Secrest, who is attending Texas Dental College at Houston, is spending the weekend in Port Arthur with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Secrest of 1233 Fifth street.

Neal McAlpine, who underwent an operation at Mary Gates hospital two weeks ago, has been removed to his home, 2601 Seventh street, where he is reported to be improving rapidly.

Howard S. English, New York City sailor, is laid up in Mary Gates hospital, nursing a sprained right foot. English skidded on a ladder aboard the Texas Company's tanker Harvey.

Contract awarded a Port Arthur firm to prime the quantonite detention ship Lake Elmendorf, anchored at Sabine, Dr. T. J. Liddle, U. S. public health chief in charge of the Sabine district, said.

**Today's Five Best Radio Features**

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KODAK, St. Louis (35 meters).—Marshall by the San Carlo Opera Company, directed from the Odos theater.  
W. L. W. (Michael, 36 meters).—To W. L. W. (Cauld, Canada), to "Hill City".  
KDKA, Pittsburgh (102 meters).—S. D. P. (Lester) for the music, especially arranged for reception in Mexico and other Spanish speaking countries.  
W. L. W. (Michael, 45 meters).—S. D. P. (Lester) for the musical program.

**UNSETTLED; RAIN**

Local forecast: Tonight and Friday, unsettled with showers.

FOR EAST TEXAS: Tonight and Friday, unsettled, local showers.

FOR LOUISIANA: Tonight and Friday, unsettled; showers in north portion.

WINDS ON TEXAS COAST: Moderate to fresh, northeast.

Highest temperature yesterday, 72; lowest last night, 61; precipitation, none.

YESTERDAY: Highest, 65; low-

est, 55; sunrise this evening, 6:32 p. m.; sunset tomorrow, 5:36 a. m.

Temperature, 65°; wind, 30 miles per hour; barometer, 30.06 inches.

Time of high tide, low water at Sabine Pass light under normal conditions on Friday, March 18; taken from the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.

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## WILL DECORATE FOR CONVENTION

### Samuel Gompers Expected To Speak Here

Port Arthur labor officials in charge of the huge convention scheduled for this city April 18 to 23 inclusive today started plans for decorating the city for the period of the convention.

Contract has been signed, it was reported today, with C. A. Webber, city electrician of Beaumont, whereby the electrical equipment used during the Beaumont fair will be brought to Port Arthur to decorate the city streets in a welcome to the huge throng of delegates and visitors who will attend the sessions of the four conventions.

### Four Conventions Coming

In the more than a thousand delegations and visitors who will be in Port Arthur from April 18 to 23 will be the delegates to four state conventions in session here.

Barbers, Painters and Typographical organizations of the state will be present in addition to the Texas Federation of Labor convention which goes into session here April 21 to 26.

The city during the time conventions will take on a carnival appearance with the trades day celebration of the Merchants and Chamber of commerce slated for the same time.

**Gompers Expected**

One of the celebrated visitors expected here for the sessions of the convention is Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor.

Gompers has promised local officials in charge of arrangements that if at all possible he would be in Port Arthur during the time of the conventions.

In addition to President Gompers of the A. F. O. L. other high officials in the labor world are expected to attend the state convention. Among the notables expected here will be Representative John C. Box.

Invitations have been sent out to other dignitaries, but as yet no additional formal acceptances have been received by the local officials.

## ROAD STILWELL

(Continued from Page 1.)

po. Mexico.

The promoter visited Mexico City and obtained a subsidy of \$3,500,000 from the Mexican government for construction of the line in that country. Large subsidies were obtained from cities and counties along the route. Stilwell ran ten special trains out of Kansas City carrying prospective investors, taking them through the country which the proposed line was to traverse.

The line was to be 300 miles shorter than any other between Kansas City and the Pacific coast. A contract was entered into between the promoter and the Hamburg-American steamship line for fast handling of mail, freight and passengers delivered at Port Stilwell by the railroad to the west coast of South America and the Orient.

### Line Never Completed

Construction work was started in four places, but the line was never completed. A receiver was appointed in 1912 and building stopped, never to be resumed on a large scale. About 700 miles necessary for completion of the project as Stilwell first dreamed it, are yet to be built.

The road was never extended to Kansas City, the northern terminus being Wichita and the southern terminus of that section Alpine, Texas, a total of 612 miles. In Mexico, two stretches are opening, one of 187 miles from Marques to Sanchez and the other of 128 miles from Topolo Bampo to Lajunta.

### Excuses Given

Reasons given for failure of the line varied greatly. At the time it went into the hands of a receiver, Stilwell blamed the "money trust" of New York and the Mexican revolution. Others said that if the road had been completed so through trains could be held from Kansas City to Topolo Bampo, it would have been a paying venture. Poor equipment, including obsolete type of engines purchased from other lines, was also given as a cause of failure. But representatives of railroads with lines running to the Pacific coast, said there was no more need for the Orient at the time it was built, than there was "road to the moon."

**Negro Baptists In Convention Here**

Fifty delegates representing 15 negro Baptist churches in Southeast Texas gathered in the Rock Island Baptist church in Port Arthur today for four days session of the General Brown district missionary Baptist association.

Among the projects which the delegates will take back to their congregations, aggregating 5,000 members, is one for raising \$1,000 for the normal and industrial college for negroes, at Beaumont. Rev. M. E. Robinson is moderator of the association; wife of C. H. Douglas, president; and Rev. W. W. Boykin, pastor of the Rock Island church, where the association is in session.

## Guaranteed Relief from Rheumatic Pain With New Powder from Italy

Shake It in Your Shoes—No Medicine to Take

Science has at last found a harmless, external treatment for rheumatism. This new discovery has brought almost immediate relief to thousands of hundreds of even the "so-called hopeless" cases.

Alessandro Volta, the well-known Italian physicist, to whom the electric voltaic battery is due, discovered a certain specific combination of certain ingredients which he prepared in the form of a fine powder that he intended to use in his medical practice. This discovery he has called VOLTA. It is not taken internally, but is shaken into the shoes, where immediately it acts like a magnet, drawing the blood through the myriad pores of the feet. This absorption is aided by the fact that the soles of the feet contain 40 times the amount of pores



Guess Again!

## WELCH FREED IN 20 MINUTES

### Spectators Applaud Local Chiro's Victory

BEAUMONT, Texas, March 28.—It took a jury in county court at law about 20 minutes to return a verdict of not guilty in the case of W. C. Welch, Port Arthur chiropractor indicted by the 65th district court grand jury on a charge of illegal practice of medicine.

Following the verdict, spectators in the court applauded and crowded about Welch, congratulating him. The case had occupied most of the day and many of his friends stayed in the court room throughout the proceedings.

Special Attorney Holmes of La Crosse, Wisconsin, helped defend Welch, as well as the Port Arthur law firm of Rose and Johnson. The case was unusually interesting and many witnesses, former patients of Welch testified for him during the proceedings. The skeleton of a human spine was brought in the courtroom during the proceedings.

In commenting on the case here Thursday morning, Judge George C. O'Brien stated that it was his belief that there was not a case in the state of Texas where a chiropractor was ever found guilty on a charge of illegal practice if he did not give medicine.

### FARMER'S APPEAL HEARD BY ELLIS

Special to The News.  
BEAUMONT, Texas, March 27.—The case of William Farmer, charged with driving an automobile without a number came up for hearing in Judge C. N. Ellis' court Thursday morning after having been appealed from Justice court. Following this, a number of other cases of similar nature will be heard.

### BEAUMONT MAN JUMPS IN FRONT OF TRAIN

Special to The News.  
BEAUMONT, Texas, March 27.—Horribly, placing his body across a railroad track with suicidal intent, Otto Collins, 34 years of age, was struck by a Gulf Coast train here Wednesday afternoon. His head and both arms were severed from his body.

The man had been despondent since an accident at the Magnolia refinery sometime ago and it was his second attempt at suicide. He took poison several weeks ago but prompt action on the part of a physician saved his life.

At the time of his death, Collins was drawing compensation from the Magnolia refinery, on account of the injury. He has walked with crutches since the accident.

### TWO YOUNG GIRLS HELD FOR PARENTS

Special to The News.  
BEAUMONT, Texas, March 27.—Two young girls, 11 and 13 years of age were taken in charge by the police department here Wednesday and after a brief questioning returned to their parents.

The girls had intended to run away from home and had their hair cut short and wore boy's clothes and caps. They tried to cross the Neches river, but the operator of the ferry grew suspicious of their actions and called the police.

### THEFT OF DODGE CAR REPORTED

Special to The News.  
BEAUMONT, Texas, March 27.—Theft of a Dodge roadster was reported to the police department here this morning by C. S. Hughes, 240 Adams street. The car was parked by the side of the White House dry goods company here and was taken between the hours of 6 and 11, according to the owner.

### NETHERLAND P. M.

EDWARD APRIL 19  
BEAUMONT, Texas, March 27.—In view of a contemplated vacancy for the office of postmaster at Nederland, a civil service examination will be held at the post office here on April 29. The Nederland office is now rated as fourth class.

### 60TH DISTRICT COURT IN SESSION

BEAUMONT, Texas, March 27.—The 60th district court grand jury was in session here again this morning, after a vacation since Tuesday. They will probably complete all their work by tomorrow night and adjourn. They keep public work on us," George Adair, one of the members of the grand jury stated. The early morning, it was believed in view of so few cases due for investigation that the grand jury would have adjourned two weeks ago, but they have held sessions at various intervals through the entire term.

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## BUILT ME UP IN EVERY WAY" SAYS WACO RESIDENT

Mrs. Brown Had Suffered Agonies from Serious Female Trouble But Is Finally Restored by Taking Stella Vitae

"Every month I suffered agonies when my periods came on, but Stella Vitae has relieved my trouble entirely," said Mrs. Willie D. Brown, 300 Archer St., Waco, Texas.

"I was dreadfully run down and weak I could hardly do any work without it's tiring me out completely. All across my back the misery would be almost unbearable and headaches nearly run me distractred. Every now and then I would have a dizzy spell that would come near flooring me and my nerves were simply worn to a frazzle.

"I took medicine after medicine, but nothing did me a bit of good. Finally I got hold of Stella Vitae and now I wouldn't take anything for the good it has done me. Why, I feel a thousand times better before and after it has just built me up in every way till I hardly know I am the same person I was. Stella Vitae is the best tonic for weak women in the world."

Note—Stella Vitae may be obtained from any druggist and is sold upon the positive guarantee that the purchase price will be refunded if it fails to bring relief.—Adv.

## Pastor Convicts Rich Churchmen

By NINA Service  
CHICAGO, March 27.—"I'm not running a hospital, but a war department."

That was Rev. Elmer L. Williams' announcement when he began a cleanup crusade.

In the conservative suburb of Evanston he seized 50 gallons of alcohol in drug stores and a garage and used them as exhibits for a lecture.

"You won't help your church," they told me when I started civic activity," says Dr. Williams. "I applied what I wanted was for the church to help the community."

In carrying out his conception of the church's proper service to its community, Dr. Williams has been arrested in his own parish district while gathering evidence against lawbreakers.

He has obtained convictions of millionaire churchmen for renting their property for illegal purposes.

He has shaken a finger under aldermen's noses with compelling effect and has forced the dismissal of corrupt police lieutenants.

## Six Visitors Present At Rotary Meeting

Six visitors, three of whom were Rotarians, were present at the regular weekly luncheon of the club held today noon in Plaza hotel dining room.

During the meeting, it was reported that the club last week had a 98 percentage of attendance, and that during the month of February, Port Arthur's Rotary ranked third of all clubs in the United States in attendance.

"Beaumont and Orange are so far behind," the president, R. L. Drake, said, "we have forgotten they're in the running."

### MANY LOCAL MEN UP, GO BEFORE GRAND JURY

Scores of people, including a number of Port Arthur policemen today were scheduled to go before the 60th grand jury, in answer to several summonses served here yesterday afternoon. Yesterday a number of deputies out of the sheriff's office worked here for several hours serving the notices.

Inserts of finely tucked material are an effective way of trimming crepe or mohair frocks.

### TRADES WEEK' IS ENDORSED

60 Local Merchants Sign To Co-Operate

With 60 Port Arthur merchants signed to participate in the "10 Trades Days," beginning April 10, chairman of the committee in charge of the preliminary work entered the last day of the solicitations today.

Members of the committee working today were engaged in the cleanup work of the campaign, making calls on business men who were not in their offices when the first day's committees passed by.

It was made plain today by J. R. Denny, president of the Retail Merchants' Association, that any merchants or professional men in Port Arthur was eligible to participate in the trades days, despite the fact he might have been overlooked by the committees soliciting support.

Application may be made to the offices of the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping, which is co-operating with the merchants of the city in putting the trades days across, for any business house in the city desirous of enrolling in the trades days celebration.

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### KEEP NAMES IN DEAL SECRET

Counsel Near to Blows During Inquiry

WASHINGTON, March 27.—The Senate Daugherty committee today refused to let Roxie Stinson name the five men she said yesterday made \$23,000,000 in a Sinclair oil deal.

Daugherty's counsel intimated that "the names of a president of the United States was among them" and in a hot clash with Senator Wheeler demanded the right to go into the matter.

Wheeler was adamant and though at one stage it looked like he and Senator Chamberlain might come to blows, Daugherty's lawyers were not permitted to open the question which the committee itself had decided not to go into because Daugherty was not involved.

Her cross examination was brief and unimportant and her story was not shaken by Paul Howland's questions.

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### EARLY APRIL FOOL

A false alarm, evidently the work of someone who wanted to see the wheels go round, called three pieces of fire apparatus from Central Hose house just before noon today. The run was made to Sixteenth street on Houston avenue.

LONDON SLOW

LONDON, March 26.—London is the slowest moving traffic city in the world, according to Lord Ashfield, who recently surveyed the traffic situation here. Street speeds, he said, have fallen to three miles an hour in certain places. London, he declared, has no effective control of traffic.

"I had been ill health for years. First, it was stomach trouble, and then kidney trouble followed, and I had gotten worse and worse right along. Walking a cook seemed to have no effect on my kidneys whatever."

"I was nervous, restless, could not sleep at nights, did not have any appetite to speak of, and when I did eat it was invariably followed by sour stomach. Most of the time it seemed as if my food formed into a heavy lump in my stomach."

"My cook gave me all sorts of trouble—throbbing and aching almost constantly."

"I had often read about Merritone in the newspapers, so I finally bought a bottle and began taking it, and I want to say it started me on the way to recovery right away."

"That was months ago. Now I am able to go to bed at nights and sleep like a baby until sunrise. My nervousness has entirely disappeared and I go to my meals three times a day with a real appetite. And, what is better, I can eat anything without it giving me trouble afterward."

"I don't think that there is anything just as good as Merritone and I certainly do take pleasure in recommending it to any one in a run-down condition, stomach or kidney trouble."

Mr. Johnson is just one of the hundreds of satisfied people that write or talk to our representatives almost daily. Such satisfying testimonials as the above are becoming quite common now. From every section of the country people tell us of the excellent results they are obtaining through taking Merritone.

And well they might, for Merritone is nature's own remedy, made entirely of nature's own products, the juices of vegetables, roots and herbs. It acts upon the digestive system, toning up—building up and enabling it to furnish good, rich, health-giving blood to the entire system.

Science has at last found a harmless, external treatment for rheumatism. This new discovery has brought almost immediate relief to thousands of even the "so-called hopeless" cases.</

## HE TELLS WORLD OF PORT ARTHUR

Rev. Yelderman's Address Broadcasted By Radio

Advantages of Port Arthur, the miracle city, were broadcasted to the world last night by Rev. H. J. Yelderman, pastor of the First Christian church, who spoke warmly of the growth of the city, its industries, school system and churches. Rev. Yelderman's address was broadcast at the Stoneburner broadcasting station in connection with a program by the First Christian church choir under the direction of C. N. Blair.

Tells How City Grew

Rev. Yelderman is a comparative newcomer to Port Arthur, having come here from Fort Worth just a few months ago. In his short address last night he told of the Port Arthur of 30 years ago, declaring that it was a barren waste with only lowlands, marshes and swamps—the principal and only crop at that time being mosquitoes. The city today is only 25 years old, but it has a population of 41,000, "he said." During 1921 and 1922, when many other cities had bread lines and thousands of men out of employment, Port Arthur had a boom, and that boom has not subsided yet."

Port Arthur has the two largest refineries in the world here, the Gulf Refining company and the Texas refinery. The city monthly payroll is above two and a half million dollars. The Texas Company has the largest asphalt factory in the world here and the Gulf refinery with its great main plant here is the largest refinery in the world."

**Best School System**

Rev. Yelderman told of the excellent drainage of the city, its health rating, which is unusually high, and its summers, which are cool and pleasant compared to the summers of cities farther north.

"No city in the United States has a better school system than Port Arthur," he said. "The best items of all the schools in the United States are combined in the Port Arthur schools. The Franklin school is undoubtedly one of the finest public school buildings in the world, with its enrollment of 3,000 pupils." Mr. Yelderman spoke of the Old Arthur College and pointed out its advantages, and in conclusion declared that Port Arthur was becoming a cultured, refined city. He told of the First Baptist church, which will cost \$200,000 when completed, the building which the First M. E. Church, South is erecting, which will cost \$250,000 when completed, and the \$75,000 church which the Lutherans have just erected. The growth of the First Christian church was praised by Rev. Yelderman, who said this church has a building and property worth \$100,000.

He told of the growth of the Sunday school, which has doubled its average attendance the last six months, and the other departments of the church.

Proceeding the talk by Rev. Yelderman, the choir assisted by talented Port Arthur musicians, broadcasted a delightful program of music, composed of two beautiful anthems, "Send Out The Light," and "Christ Is King," a violin selection by Mrs. Sam Simon, a vocal duet by Miss Wee Wee Griffin and Mrs. Bill Davis, and a tenor solo by C. V. Palmer. Piano accompaniments were given by Mrs. H. Claude Holmes and Mrs. Rupert Theodore.

## MIRACLE MAN

(Continued from Page 1.)

can you expect? There is a way to succeed—here's what you are to do:

T. E. T.—You have no reason to doubt your friend, he is a good man.

Mrs. E. A.—I do not see any change for the time.

E. E. T.—I see you getting something out of the estate.

Mrs. E. A.—The reason why you could not get ahead is because you did not see any change making any change just now.

Mrs. G. R. C.—The ring is in your hand.

G. W. B.—This boy will finally be heard from.

Mrs. G. W. B.—Bring the ring to me and I will tell you.

E. E. K.—This is up to you. You can have it.

Mrs. G. C. G.—I do not see any change to speak of.

Mrs. C. D.—I see success with his work, but I think it will be made to help him conditionally.

C. D.—I would advise you people to make a move.

Mrs. A. W.—You will see me at the Elks Theatre personally I will try to help you.

Mrs. C. C. R.—I would advise him to seek the horoscope for the present.

Mrs. J. C.—It will not pay to quit your job to go trapping rats.

B. F. L.—I see you getting work soon.

G. A. R.—I see a chance for you to get the work.

Mrs. J. F. L.—It will not pay to sell.

J. S. E.—I can see you want to be able to educate your daughter.

E. W.—I would not go on this.

Mrs. G. C. G.—I do not see anything for nothing. My prediction is there is

Within the "Black Hand's" Reach!



## C-C CONTESTS NEW 'T' TARIFF

Would Prevent Cancelling Routings Via Here

Application of the Transmarine Corporation for the cancellation of routings via Port Arthur and the establishment of a new tariff via Beaumont upon one day's notice has been rejected by the Interstate Commerce Commission. Frank Potts, traffic manager of the Chamber of Commerce, was advised today.

C-C Asia Rejection

The action of the commerce commission follows the filing of a request by the traffic department of the chamber here urging that the Transmarine application be rejected, and that no application for filing a new tariff on less than statutory (30 days) notice to the public applying to the port of Beaumont be granted. The proposal of the Transmarine Corporation, Mr. Potts said, in spite of the interference of the local Chamber of Commerce, would cancel the present routings by way of Port Arthur and would make the local freight rate higher.

History of Case

The request of the Chamber of Commerce was filed with the Interstate Commerce commission on March 4 in the form of a letter addressed to the chief of traffic for the commission. Mr. Potts said, upon information to the effect that the Transmarine application would probably make a demand for a new tariff on one day's notice, if granted, the Transmarine request would have prevented Port Arthur from filing a protest, and thus saving how it had been dropped into an old well near Port Hidalgo was found on a rebel officer recently executed. Lopez is sure it was written by Villa. It tells how 22 horses carried the precious load to the hitherto unknown cache. The hidden wealth is expected to total at least \$50,000.

Villa's "Gold Mine?"



## LARGE AUDIENCE ATTENDS PLAY

High School Students Re-peat Production Tonight.

A large and appreciative audience witnessed presentation of the musical comedy and operetta, "College Days," at Franklin auditorium last night by the dramatic and music departments of the Port Arthur High school. The entertainment was given under the direction of Miss Audrey Lucile Smith, head of the music department, and Miss Leona R. Dietz, head of the dramatic arts department. The high school orchestra furnished music for the evening, and the male quartet sang between acts. The songs were catchy and the choruses were unusually well rendered.

The cast was admirably selected, including Helen Ward, Ernest Bullock, J. C. Conner, Dorothy Johnson, Martin Black, Glen Gute, Timmy Kreimeyer, Leland Lucy, Eva Guder, Ray Branson, Jewel Livingston and Lawrence Smith. Among those appearing in the chorus of college girls and men were Ojai Himes, Edith Davis, Alice Hatchett, Ethie Goodwin, Lela Mae Smith, Ruth Morgan, Pauline Durham, James Livingston, Dent Taylor, Francis Dunn, Nicholas Hyde, Howard Crow, Lawrence Smith, Ray Branson, Jeanette Stappert, Hazel Benware, and Lee Burge.

The musical comedy will be presented again this evening at 8 o'clock,

## COPPER SHADES

Rust and the copper shades, and the deep reds are very popular for wraps this spring.

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**LOBSTERS**—C. K. DeBuse, Cap. A. B. Schneider, V. T. Eischenber, Dr. A. S. Pollock, E. P. Tucker, J. W. Waltrip, Bert Hughes, Don Alien, D. W. Vaughan, A. W. Dyres, Geo. Wedell.

**SHRIMPS**—Rev. H. R. Yelderman, Cap. Ed. Ames, Perry Pace, R. E. Theobald, W. S. Martin, Harry Slatery, L. W. Hanneman, Henry Crawford, Mark Majors, F. E. Stonewarner, Lee H. Adams.

The sun's apparent yearly path among the stars is known as the ecliptic.

The local Lions plan to have 100 per cent attendance at each regular luncheon, it was asserted, and a contest among the various teams of the city organization will be carried on, having been chosen as the most plausible method of securing excellent co-operation. The groups and leaders into which the club has been divided follow:

**SAND-FIDDLERS**—C. M. Dischuk, Cap. Ed. Lohman, B. H. Davidson, R. Lyles, F. E. Gifford, D. J. Russell, S. H. Nick, Howard McDaniel, W. W. Glass, L. G. Lueger, F. Woods.

**CRABS**—A. C. Reiche, Cap. Mary May, J. A. Burnham, Wm. Anderson, J. A. Pastach, J. P. Logan, C. R. Phelps, J. Jacobs, R. L. Murry, C. H. Phelps.

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## Thrift Essays Written for First National Bank by Pupils of Port Arthur Public Schools

Thrift is a much broader matter than mere saving. Thrift is care and prudence in the management of one's affairs, the foundation upon which every successful business enterprise is based.

The man who hoards his money, who deprives himself of the decencies of life in order to accumulate is going counter to the Declaration of Independence. He is narrowing his life, restricting his liberties and shutting himself away from true happiness.

He who spends his money wisely, who apportions his dollars intelligently against the needs of today and the needs of tomorrow, who in other words, is practicing thrift, is investing in liberty and happiness, is securing life more abundantly.

WILLIE DEAN.

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WELL WHERE TREASURE WAS FOUND

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## A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

## The Editorial Mind

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Odds and Ends and  
Comment on Our Morning  
Mail*

THAT SECRET AGREEMENT TO PAY  
\$72,000 FOR NEW COUNTY TAX PLAN

The first 50 Packard autos were equipped with "whip-sockets on the dashboards." Packard engineers remonstrated with the coach builder who had the contract to make the first 5 bodies. But for years he had made carriage bodies, and he insisted on putting whip-sockets on the autos.

This incident is typical of all human progress.

The first railroad passenger cars looked like stagecoaches. The first autos looked like horse-drawn vehicles. No matter how revolutionary a new idea may be, when people put it to practical use they invariably insist on retaining some feature of the old device or system that is replaced by the new.

So, quite naturally, the airplane is a copy of birds and insects, nature's "flying machines." Man could not be blamed for copying them. But the ultimate airplane may be an entirely different looking affair.

The human tendency, to attach a specimen of the old to new things, has a simple psychological explanation. People simply have confidence in old tried-out devices, and they cling to them as a sort of life preserver in case the new outfit doesn't work.

Probably the builder of the first Packard auto bodies feared they would break down and have to be towed home by a horse. In that event, a whip-socket wouldn't be a bad idea.

Radio, the most sensational mechanical development of recent years, changes swiftly. A new set comes out. You start to make it—and are apt to find it replaced by something better before you finish soldering the wires. Radio changes faster than women's styles, far faster. There has never in history been anything that has changed so rapidly—that has revealed a public tendency to leave the old and adopt the new without regret or suspicion.

This means that people are losing their chronic respect for old things. They are willing to take a chance and throw old derricks to the sidebeam as soon as something better appears.

This tendency may revolutionize human thought and even systems of economics. When the American colonies broke away from the old country and set up a republic in government, they still retained the king-and-subject idea in that more important field, economics. The boss in business, however, is gradually being changed by evolution into a president of a business republic instead of monarch of his organization.

Do you crave long life? Among the other activities of Alexander Graham Bell, the telephone inventor, it seems, was a research in the subject of longevity.

Some of his conclusions were:

1—Apart from accident, longevity closely follows heredity. The longevity of the male parent counts for more than that of the female.

2—Fertility usually means long life—fathers and mothers who had the most children live the longest.

3—The "only child" is not apt to live as long as children of a large family.

4—Children born soon after marriage are likely to live longer than those born later, except that a child born very much later (20 years) has a good chance of long life.

5—Females live longer than males. Male mortality is higher than female under the age of 5, from 20 to 25, and after 45.

On this basis, what are your chances?

"Baring sheets about patriotism and all other rot, what is wrong with this plan?" says M. Alanson, a Parlin (N. Y.) man who has a new soldier bonus idea. Here is his proposal:

1—Decrease the income tax of every ex-service man now paying over \$50 but under \$100 by \$50 for a period of five years.

2—Give every ex-service man not paying an income tax or paying under \$50 the difference between \$50 and the amount he is paying, for a period of five years.

3—Give no exemption to ex-service men paying more than \$100 in income tax.

Well, what is wrong with it?

## FIRESIDE FUN

**THE OTHER MAN**  
"Stop!" cried the voice in the taxi. The driver stopped.

"I didn't mean you. Keep right on driving," said the voice—Varnie Puppe.

**WIFE RUNS, TOO**  
"Pardon me, but I ought to tell you that Jones has run away with your wife."

"But why run?"—Punch.

**DAD MAKES A SLIP**  
"She claims that every husband in this village has tried to make love to her but one."

"And who in the world can that be?"—Film Fun.

**ALPACA FROCKS**  
Alpaca frocks for spring are quite the rage, but of late they have shown a tendency to be less strictly tailored and one sees them combined with the most exquisite embroidery.

A majority of the Jefferson county board of commissioners voted to expend the sum of \$72,000 for the installation of a new tax system for Jefferson county, the principal item being that of a map showing the ownership of every tract or parcel of land in the county.

It is not clear whether the plan as it stands includes the towns and cities. If not it clearly defeats the purpose for which it is intended.

But in dealing with large chunks of the taxpayers' money it might be well for the commissioners to sound out the people.

An executive session of the board which passes a motion to install a tax system at a cost of \$72,000 without a stenographer, as we understand it, being present to make a record of the motion, our first knowledge of it being reports on the street that it has been done, lends itself to suspicion. Things generally are not done that way.

There should, The News believes, be an adequate system to insure that every owner of real estate in the county pay his just tax. No doubt there are numerous instances where at present this is not being done. The county as a result is losing considerable money. Out of that executive meeting of the board comes the report, for example, that a plot of ground on which stands a Beaumont hotel is rendered and being paid as acreage.

But the payment of \$72,000 in hard cash without competitive bids to a firm outside of the county for little more than a map sounds like extravagance. Money does not come that easy to the taxpayers. It should not be expended quite so rapidly on something the taxpayers have not had a chance to have thoroughly explained to them. Good business judgment as well demands this.

There are numerous tracts of land in the county the boundaries of which are not clearly defined, either by map or record. Some litigation has ensued. Considerable more will be in order as lands change hands from time to time. These inaccuracies are costly. A proposal for a re-survey where necessary should find ready acceptance from all—providing it entails the expenditure of reasonable sum of money.

An engineer of high standing in the community—respect for the ethics of the profession prevents the use of his name in this connection—has stated recently that such a system as the county commissioners have in mind can be compiled, accurate in detail, for \$30,000. There are \$42,000 difference between this figure and that which the commissioners are favorably considering.

Where will this \$42,000 be expended to give value received to Jefferson county taxpayers?

Why is it necessary to pay it to an outside firm without competitive bids no matter what their qualifications when they have not the slightest idea of the topography and technical details of the job as pertains to Jefferson county, facts which any county resident engineer through close touch with his work has at his finger ends?

Why not consider more than one proposal before accepting any, though it has been denied by Judge Johnson that a contract has been entered into? Will Judge Johnson continue to deny that such has been done?

And finally, what is the proposal, anyway, that it demands a secret, executive session of commissioners' court from which all newspaper reporters, spectators and even its own stenographer are barred?

The News believes these are some pertinent questions which the commissioners who made the motion accepting the proposal, seconded it and voted for it might well be expected to answer.

## Quillen's Paragraphs

A waggish doctor of our acquaintance speaks of his "medicinal" profession. How's that for candor?

Listening to a banquet speech, one can sometimes guess what the subject is, but seldom what the object is.

The expert blame-shifter and credit-taker is another form of animal life that the world could get along without.

Marry in haste and repent. Take your time and probably she will not wait for you. What's the answer?

It isn't the tea that gets a man's goat at these afternoon affairs, but the tea-hee.

Table: Once upon a time there was a mere man who knew the difference between purple, lavender and heliotrope.

An old topper expresses the opinion that "No great poem or book of art will ever be inspired by a chocolate-malted milk."

"Seeing by radio soon possible." And perhaps they'll some day get it to the point where we can hear satisfactorily by it.

College graduates aren't so terribly conceited, as a rule. But that's the paragrapher's story and they're gonna stick to it.

Suggested slogan for congress: "They also serve who only stand and debate."

Add Dictionary of Similes: "—as useless as gestures by a radio operator."

A lot of the modern wives apparently have promised to lose, honor and obey impulses.

A lot of henpecked husbands will tell you that "loved and lost" beats "wedded and blessed."

And what is it the height of when a policeman parks his car in front of a fire plug?

The only time the average man has that conquering-hero feeling is when he manages to get two good seats on the aisle.

The European situation shows improvements, but offhand we can't remember what they are.

Yes, Ethel, life is like a golf game. We're in and out of one hole after another. Ho, hum.

Table: After they had argued for an hour the wife finally shut up and let the husband have his way.

Lore at first sight is possible, but it's always a good idea to wipe off your glasses and look again.

Another addition to Dictionary of Similes: "—as useless as an observation car on a subway train."

"One-wife movement spreads in Eastern world." One-wife-at-a-time is still the general rule on this side.

In the old wet days a man could act as host without keeping a napkin over his arm to wipe off the living room table.

The biggest howl to "make it exclusive" is usually raised by the member who barely managed to slip in himself.

The prize actor is the filled lover who can praise the successful candidate and make it sound like he means it.

A pharmaceutical house recommends dimethylaminophenylmethylpyrazine as a medicine. One syllable after each meal and at bedtime.

Speaking of politics, "pouring oil on troubled waters" is a metaphor that has lost its meaning. We need something now to pour on the troubled oil.

Correct this sentence: "The box-office man said, 'I feel it my duty to tell you that this is a side seat and your view will be obstructed by the box in front.'

The auto and pistol are the modern weapons of crime.

Churches have about 46 million members in the United States, latest figures show. The gain in membership since 1921 has averaged 650,000 a year.

Authorities agree that the public is showing a definite swing back to

Be ye not unequally yoked together with unbelievers.—2 Cor. 6:14.  
The fearful unbelief is unbelief in yourself.—Carlyle.

"Good Morning, Judge!"

MISS ALIAS  
BY DOUGLAS GRANT

"Sallie Pack, employee of the Fair Deal Five & Ten, quarries with her policeman sweetheart, Michael Cutt. That night a storm comes up and Sallie is forced to take down a washing line, cut by the night. Mr. Breman, with whom Sallie lives, asks Sallie to see her mother, Madame Copeland, who is ill in bed. Sallie goes to see her mother, and finds that she was injured in a train wreck and that Cousin Wheeler saved her. Madame Copeland tells Sallie she is being cared for by Dr. Quarters.

## NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

While she stood there with the warm sun-bake streaming in upon her face and turning her hair to spun gold a man cantered slowly along the dirt road beyond the wall on a beautiful bay horse and Sallie gazed admiringly at both mount and rider until she realized that the latter was staring fixedly up in her direction, apparently straight at her window!

She dropped the curtain but through its folds her eyes followed him and just before he disappeared into a clump of trees he turned in his saddle and lifted one arm. He didn't exactly wave but it looked like a sort of signal, nevertheless.

Sallie turned just as the door opened and Therese hurried in.

"Why are you out of bed?" she demanded sharply. The change from the deference of her former manner was unmistakable and Sallie lifted her eyebrows.

"What's the idea?" she retorted. "I guess I can look out the window if I want to, Therese!"

The mention of her name brought a quick flush to the woman's sallow cheek.

"But mademoiselle must not rise until the doctor has come!" Her tone was respectful enough now, yet it was almost immediately upon the outer door leading to the hall and she reappeared to usher in a slim, dapper, smooth-shaven man in the late forties, who with a whispered word and a nod handed her a small bag and then advanced to the bed rubbing his shapely hands together in a way that made Sallie long to throw something at him.

"Good morning, my dear! Ah, I see that we are coming around nicely now! The chart, please, Miss Tidmarsh. Ha, ha, temperature—I fear there has been to much excitement, we must keep more quiet!"

"Who are you?" demanded Sallie abruptly.

"Doctor Quarters, your physician. Take these, my dear. Now a little water, please, Miss Tidmarsh." He smiled, showing a row of shining teeth.

Sallie obediently swallowed the tablets and took a sip of water, trying to control herself.

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# THE NEWS' SOCIAL AND HOUSEHOLD PAGE

## Jewish Women's Council Hold Delightful Bridge At the Department Club

TAKING a prominent place on the week's calendar of events was the bridge yesterday afternoon at the Department Club, which had as hostesses members of the Council of Jewish Women.

Twenty-five tables of players were assembled for the hospitality, the games being played beautiful with a profusion of pot plants and baskets of gorgeous blossoms, suggesting by their tints a motif of green and white. About the large assembly room tall baskets filled with clusters of the white blossoms were placed in graceful arrangement to form a fitting background for the handsomely gowned women. Soft lights from many floor lamps and gleaming tapes in tall candelabra cast a subdued glow over the entire scene.

Bridge table appointments featured the delicate green and white scheme, with score pads and tulips showing the combination of colors in attractive manner. Beautiful prizes were awarded for high score in the games.

A lovely salad course was offered at the close of the games by Mrs. I. Wiener, Mrs. A. Goldber, Mrs. Julius Decker, Mrs. A. Grossman, Mrs. J. Jacobs, and Mrs. A. Plotman. Mrs. Sam Harris and Mrs. H. Goldman greeted the guests at the door.

### BRIDGE BREAKFAST ENJOYED BY CLUB

The Wildcat Hiking Club met at the home of Mother Wildcat, Mrs. Charles E. Hoag, and went for a two-hour hike on the Beaumont road. Returning, the crowd assembled at the home of Miss Constance Johnson, 3117 Seventh street, where a delicious three-course breakfast was served. After breakfast bridge game diversion during the morning hours, three tables of players enjoying the occasion. The prize for high score was awarded to Mrs. Hoag and consolation fell to Miss Vera Stanford.

Those enjoying the delightful affair were Misses Lois Mathis, Vera Stanford, Verna Hawley, Marlys Summers, Carrie A. Terrier, Hilda Elder, Jane Duncan, Nima Bates, Ida Polk, Mabel Jones, Frankie Moore, Frankie Hyde, Hattie Bonner, and Constance Johnson, Mrs. Charles E. Hoag and Mrs. Windham.

Miss Johnson was assisted in entertaining by her sister, Mrs. R. E. Moosman.

### DR. AND MRS. HOPE VISITING IN CITY

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Bryant of 1000 Eighth street have as their guests their son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Hope, and children, Mary Page and J. C., Jr., of Mobile, Ala.

### W. B. A. SALE A SUCCESS

At yesterday's session of the W. B. A. of the Maccaables it was reported that the candy sale held last Saturday was a success, a sum of \$43 having been cleared for the benefit of the sick fund.

A record attendance was present at yesterday's session. Mrs. W. F. Sylvester was elected delegate to the state convention of the W. B. A. to be held in Houston on April 26. Mrs. Sylvester is commander of the local Review. In attendance at the convention will be Miss Bessie M. West of Port Huron, Mich., supreme commander; Miss Frances D. Partridge, of Port Huron, supreme record keeper, and Mrs. Salice B. Botteler of Port Huron, state commander.

Announcement was made that the next club meeting of the Progressive Club of the W. B. A. will be held on April 18 with Mrs. W. J. Milne, 2248 Sixth street.

### MRS. LAKEY ENTERTAINS PRISCILLA SEWING CLUB

Mrs. R. C. Lakey entertained the Priscilla Sewing club yesterday afternoon at her home, 2720 Eleventh street. After a short business session and sewing Mrs. Lakey served a refreshment service of hot chocolate and cake.

Enjoying the afternoon were Mrs. W. A. Lea, Mrs. A. B. Thomas, Mrs. M. D. Gager, Mrs. S. B. Herrington, Mrs. N. J. Reese, Mrs. Haddock, Mrs. R. B. Hobbs, Mrs. N. J. Morris and Mrs. E. C. Lacy.

The next meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. W. A. Lea, 2348 Thomas boulevard.

### MRS. YOUNG AND SON VISITING MRS. MCALPINE

Mrs. P. A. Young and son, Glenn, of Bronson, Texas, are visiting Mrs. Young's mother, Mrs. M. R. McAlpine of 2501 Ninth street.

### MRS. A. N. PECHERMAN HAS HOUSEQUESTS

Mrs. A. N. Pecherman of 2002 Procter street has as her houseguest, Mrs. Walter Craske of Morgan Point, Ill.

### TUESDAY SEWING CLUB ENTERTAINED

Members of the Tuesday Sewing club were delightfully entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. J. M. Skelton at her home, 1530 Nashville avenue. After an enjoyable afternoon of needlework delicious refreshments were served.

Enjoying the occasion were Mrs. R. E. Beckman, Mrs. J. R. Benfield, Mrs. R. C. Streeter, Mrs. V. S. Sibley, Mrs. J. E. Toups, Mrs. J. L. Swanson.

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## Venus Tires of Beauty Job Not As Easy As It Sounds



TWO VIEWS OF MISS DOROTHY Y. KNAPP, AND THE TROPHY SHE WON AS AMERICA'S MOST BEAUTIFULLY FORMED GIRL.

NEW YORK, March 25.—Where is the girl who would like to be standing in the shoes—or, say, the beauty position—of Dorothy Knapp?

For she is the young lady who was picked by a committee of artists in New York after a continent-wide quest, as the most beautifully formed girl.

Great stuff for Dorothy, you say?

Well, he is now known that Dorothy would like to be standing in

### Here's What to Eat and Lose Weight Gain Weight

One large orange, 1 cup clam broth, 7 ounces broiled green pepper, 1 cup cabbage salad, 2 gluten puffs, 1/2 cup prepared bran, 2 thin slices gluten bread, 4 tablespoons pineapple water-ice, 2 lady fingers or small piece sponge cake, 1 pint skinned milk.

Total calories, 1210. Protein, 317; fat, 229; carbohydrate, 673; iron, .01001 gram.

#### Gluten Puffs

One cup gluten flour, 1-2 teaspoons salt, 1 cup cold water.

Add water slowly to flour, beat with a dover beater. Add salt and continue beating vigorously for 20 minutes. Turn into sizzling hot buttered iron pan and bake until an hour in a hot oven. The more you beat, the better the "puffs" will be.

And they really are very good even if they don't sound scrumptious.

Total calories, 337. Protein, 167; fat, 101; carbohydrate, 169. Iron, .0085 gram.

The raisin pie adds iron as well as sugar to the diet.

During the maple syrup season the person who would gain may enjoy the fresh syrup to the utmost.

The squash should be well seasoned with butter.

The foods for the gaining diet are planned to be simply cooked in order to preserve the mineral salts as much as possible and provide easily digested nourishment.

As squash is rich in carbohydrates, the reducing member should not indulge.

You may receive a sample bottle of Swamp-Root by parcel post. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and enclose ten cents; also mention this paper. Large and medium size bottles for sale at all drug stores.

Adv.

Spanish Mexican or Barber's Itch One bottle Imperial Eczema Remedy is guaranteed to be enough for any case. All druggists are authorized to refund your money if it fails.—Adv.

Mrs. O. M. Briley

HOSTESS TO CLUB

Mrs. O. M. Briley was hostess to the Needles and Thread Club Wednesday afternoon at her home, 3025 Seventh street. After an enjoyable afternoon of needlework the hostess served a salad course.

Enjoying the afternoon were Mrs. M. D. Dismukes, Mrs. W. G. Griffith, Mrs. R. J. Ulmer, Mrs. R. A. Head and daughters, Dorothy Sue and Charlotte, Mrs. A. H. Goldeil, Mrs. F. L. Dismukes, Mrs. J. N. Dismukes, Mrs. M. G. Osterhoudt, and Mrs. O. M. Briley.

Mrs. G. M. Dismukes will be hostess to the club next week at her home, 1230 Sixth street.

### DALLAS COTTON MAN POISON VICTIM, BELIEF

EL PASO, March 27.—Howard Richardson, Dallas cotton broker, was found dead on a downtown street here. Authorities said he died from poison.

Several girls were slightly injured when they leaped from second story windows.

Approximately \$30,000 damage was done by the flames.

### TRAIN KILLS TEXAN

CORRIGAN, March 27.—David Howard Farmer, was killed instantly, when a Cotton Belt passenger train crashed into his wagon at a grade crossing.

CITY DRUG STORE

## INDIGESTION KNOCKED SKY-HIGH

Well posted physicians now treat the liver and digestive organs together, as they are inseparable and pleasant to treat one without treating the other is no longer practiced.

Calomel is the one remedy doctors depend on for the liver, while for the digestive tract, nothing has ever been found that acts as surely and efficiently as Pepto. The best results cannot be obtained unless both the liver and digestive organs are active. This is exactly what Pepto-Calomel does. It contains the gentle, imported English Calomel in combination with Pepto and other helpful ingredients. It is mild but certain, causing no harshness or unpleasantness and will absolutely relieve bad colds, torpid liver, indigestion, biliousness, consti-

## Miss Erna Volkers And Mrs. Straus Married Tuesday

Of interest to Port Arthur friends is the wedding of Miss Erna Volkers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Volkers of Giddings, and Hermann Straus, which took place Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Trinity Lutheran church, with Rev. F. W. Siebelitz performing the impressive ring ceremony.

The ceremony was performed in the presence of a large assembly of friends of the young couple. A beautiful program of bridal music was given preceding the ceremony. The bride's lovely gown was of white satin and her flowing veil was adjusted with a basket of delicate blossoms. She was attended by Misses Gertrude, Molly Schiakate, Ida Unger and Doris Tiemann as bridesmaids, their attractive frocks forming a lovely rainbow scheme. Groomsmen were William Straus, Henry Volkers, Harry Boor and Albert Dachmann.

Immediately after the ceremony the young couple left for a short wedding trip to Giddings to visit with the bride's parents, and upon their return to Port Arthur they will be at home to their friends on DeQueen boulevard.

Miss Straus has been residing in Port Arthur about a year. Mr. Straus is in the grocery business here.

I think I shall get up courage to tell this all to Leslie. She must know that no man is an "Angel of Light" and, as all my indiscretions occurred before I knew her, she will be more apt to forgive me, will she not?

So you say that man who is traveling around the country with Little Pierer is much in love with her. I thought as much when he was here and Leslie told me that he had been engaged to a friend of hers, Beatrice Gramshaw, an entirely different type of girl, and that he had recently broken the engagement.

It is a curious thing, Sid, that

## The Tangle

LETTER FROM JOHN ALDEN PRESCOTT TO SYDNEY CARTON, CONTINUED

Now, Sid, I am going to tell you something which probably will surprise you. I have almost come to the conclusion to tell Leslie the whole truth about Little Jack.

For, since she has seen Paula and quite fallen in love with her, she has given me in some way the idea that she would not object to the truth about the baby. Indeed, sometimes I wonder if she does not have a kind of inkling of the affair but, because of her loyalty to me, she will not even confess it to herself.

Times have changed on these occasions. I remember before the war it was thought to be an impossible thing for a woman to care for a child of which she knew her husband was the father. Since then, so many women have adopted the children they were begotten by their husbands in France, that it has become no longer anything sensational to talk about.

One of the reasons I am going to do this, Sid, is because I want to set you right in Leslie's mind, I have always felt like a dog whenever she intimates to me that you are the father of little Jack and that I am trying to protect your name and that

Is it strange that a man feels worse about betraying another man than he does about deceiving his own wife?

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what charms a man in one girl, is the thing he absolutely dislikes in another, and it also shows the folly of that old saying, that a man can only love one girl truly, in all his life.

I really believe that I am more in love with Leslie than with any other woman I have ever known, and I do know that I am more in love with her now than I was when we were first married.

Sid, when I see her with Little Jack in her arms and that brooding look of motherhood and mother-love on her face, something comes up in my throat that almost stifles me and I feel so unworthy of her and her goodness and sweetness.

I did not know that the habit of living with someone was such a strong bond, either. Since Leslie has been at my mother's I have felt absolutely lost in a great big world of alien creatures; even the house seems strange to me. It needs her presence to make it habitable.

I am glad you are coming home soon, Sid, and I shall hope to see you immediately upon your return.

Until then I am as always

JACK.

TOMORROW: A letter to Leslie Prescott from Leslie Prescott, care of the secret drawer.

LULLABY  
Golden slumbers kiss your eyes,  
Sleep, pretty wainous; do not cry,  
And I will sing a lullaby.

—Thomas Dekker.

### RANGER'S TRIAL PUT OFF

SAN ANTONIO, March 27.—The trial of Y. P. Taylor, Texas ranger, charged with killing H. L. Flowers, was continued until May 19 when called in district court here.

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## Continues Staples Week



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Through April 5th we will clean 9x12 rugs for \$3.75.

Consult us about the other sizes, all are special.

The usual first class work.

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### Sale of Napkins

95c 10-inch mercerized napkins, 79c

\$1.50 17 1/2-inch mercerized napkins, 1.19

30x30 Red Star hemmed diapers, 2.39

22.5x20-inch mercerized napkins, 1.79

\$3.50 18-inch mercerized napkins, 2.79

### Table Covers

\$2.25 48-inch round table covers, 98c

## 800 TICKETS TO TILTS MAILED

**Y. M. B. L. in Effort to Ef-  
face Deficit**

Eight hundred tickets have been mailed to as many men in Port Arthur by the YMCA for disposition or admissions to the two exhibition games here Saturday and Sunday between St. Joseph Saints and the Port Arthur Elks.

A letter, calling attention to the deficit of \$1,100 which the YMCA has been forced to borrow to meet the full terms of their contract with the St. Joseph club, and urging co-operation on the part of local citizens in helping to raise this deficit was sent out with each ticket.

The games will be played at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, and at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The letter follows in substance:

**Letter to Fans**

"At the request of a great number of baseball fans the Y. M. B. L. about the middle of January last contracted with the St. Joe baseball club to train here from March 5th to April 10th guaranteeing them \$2500.00 to receive the receipts from two exhibition games to be played with the Beaumont Club March 15th and 16th."

"Due to weather conditions, the receipts from these games, as well as from two other games played with the Elks Club, were a great disappointment and the deficit under our guarantee of \$1,100."

"The St. Joe Club have met us more than half-way in our difficulty; they made up the difference in extra games above mentioned with the Elks Club, but they have further consented to play two additional games, March 20 and 21, with the same team, all receipts

**City Gets Benefit**

"This shows a splendid spirit on the part of these visitors, and we thank them for their cooperation to them. Our city has received the benefit of such advertising as goes with an arrangement of this kind, and prompted the Y. M. B. L. to enter into their contract; the St. Joe organization, comprised of some twenty-five young men, have been in Port Arthur three days during which time they have been spending their money with our own people.

"We therefore are enclosing herewith—tickets good for either game, and ask that you send us by return mail a check for \$2500.00 to A. C. Reiche at the First National Bank and make such disposition of the tickets as you care to do."

**YOUNG MEN'S BUSINESS LEAGUE**  
R. A. Lyles, president.

## MEN'S CLASS TO HAVE PROGRAM

188 Expected to Attend  
Study Tonight

Planning open entertainment 188 business and young men of Port Arthur, the Men's Bible class of the First Baptist church, under the direction of "Monseignor" Jo-ephus Herpin," will conduct a program and study at the church tonight at 7:30 o'clock, it was announced this morning.

The program includes the following:

Song: "One Class Will Shine Tonight".

Recitation—Miss Eugenia Genova Surprise.

Song: "Women".

Speech: (about) Chaser—"Buster" Shires.

Song: "The Human Goat".

Recitation—Curtis Culp.

Music: "Selected".

Address: "Boozing as a Profession"—Pablo Collins.

Song: "Down in Mobile".

Address: "It's Hard to Leave Your Friends Behind"—Reverend Obadiah Watson.

Music: "Fiddle and Banjo".

Some shorts and games, in charge of Little Belle Farley. Entertainments expected to do his bit. Don't忘  
Refresher's and goodnight.

## All City Court Cases To Be Called Friday

In order to clear up the heavy docket of the Corporation Court, all cases on its docket will be called for trial Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. This arrangement was received today by Judge A. W. Dynes and Fred White following a conference with attorneys for several of the litigants.

For the last few weeks cases have been piling up on the Corporation Court docket because of the district courts at Beaumont being in session, necessitating appearances there of several of the officers who were witnesses in the cases.

Many astronomers cling to the idea that the moon is a dead world.

## BEAUMONT Auditorium Monday Evening March 31 AMELITA GALLI-CURCI

Assisted by Manuel Berenguer, flutist; Homer Samuel, pianist.

**CONCERT**

SEATS NOW  
Beaumont Floral Shop  
Prices: \$3.30, \$2.75, \$2.20,  
\$1.65 \$1.10  
Direction Edna W. Saunders

## Attends Queen



with Pola Negri in the Polish star's second American picture, "The Cheat," which is on view at the Peoples theater now.

Instead Miss Negri and the versatile Frenchman danced the more fashionable waltz so popular in the capitals of Europe.

It wasn't that DeRoche couldn't dance the tango. Before he made his screen debut he was a professional dancer and the tango was one of his specialties. But ever since he arrived in the United States he has been hailed by the press of the country as the man who is to fill the vacant shoes of Rudolph Valentino.

This De Roche resents. He points out that he won his own spurs in his native country and he doesn't relish being the substitute or successor to anyone. He prefers to be Charles de Roche and stand or fall by that.

### PALACE OF THE KING PLEASES

There was revealed at the Strand theater last night a costume motion picture which deserves to rank with the finest films of the sort yet done. It is Emmett Flynn's first production for Goldwyn Pictures, "In the Palace of the King," adapted by June Mathis from F. Marion Crawford's popular novel.

There are a number of spectacular episodes in this production but the spectacular is never emphasized to the detriment of the dramatic and absorbing story which is woven around half a dozen highly pleasing personages in the Royal Court of Spain in the sixteenth century.

Blanche Sweet has in Goldwyn's screen version of the story, the role that Miss Allen essayed on the stage. It gives Miss Sweet one of her biggest opportunities and her characterization of the part is everywhere admirable and appealing.

Edmund Lowe, one of the handsomest leading men on screen or stage, is cast as her lover, "Don John," and acts with fervor and restraint. King Phillip II, who is jealous of the popularity of his brother with the Spanish public, is finely delineated by Sam de Grasse. The part of Dolores' father, who takes upon his own shoulders the guilt for the supposed murder of his daughter's lover, to save the King, gives Hobart Bosworth one of the character roles which he delights in playing, and in which he is incomparable.

### WAY OF A MAN

Chapter Seven, "Gold, Gold," will be shown in the serial, "Way of a Man," at the Green Tree theater tomorrow. In the seventh episode Ellen finds evidence that proves John innocent and Grace guilty, and she is in time to save the man she loves, in spite of his deception. Orme, accused of the crime, makes a getaway. John starts back East, but in independence finds his mother, who has journeyed West with his fiance, Grace. John is also there and secretly makes an appointment with Grace, who is infatuated with him. John, looking for Grace, comes within range of the latter's gun.

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## Amusements

THURSDAY

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WEEKEND

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## Cured His Rupture

I was badly ruptured while lifting a trunk several years ago. Doctors said one of my hips was an operator and took a few bottles of Hobo Kidney & Bladder Remedy and was relieved! If you are bothered at night with your kidneys get a bottle of Hobo Kidney & Bladder Remedy today from your druggist. Write for free story, Hobo Medicine Co., Beaumont, Texas.—Adv.

## Sleep in Comfort

Jesse Durham of Winnfield, La.

wrote: "I was affected with bladder trouble and took a few bottles of Hobo Kidney & Bladder Remedy and was relieved!" If you are bothered at night with your kidneys get a bottle of Hobo Kidney & Bladder Remedy today from your druggist. Write for free story, Hobo Medicine Co., Beaumont, Texas.—Adv.

## BENEFITS

Coming to Chautauqua on the fourth night only—Ralph Kettering's "The Great Commoner," a play of the life of Lincoln.

The Chronicle says "Nearer to the great American play than anything thus far seen in San Francisco."

## THE GREAT COMMONER

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seven  
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Seven Big Days

## Answers Two Purposes



This hat, worn so well by Anita Stewart, is excellently equipped to lead a double life, and consequently equally useful for motoring or street car riding. The sashes may be worn as in the photograph when in the car and may be wound about the hat tuft in fashion at other times.

## Sam Schmink Will Address Rotarians

Sam Schmink, secretary of the Port Arthur Rotary Club, is slated for an address before the district Rotary convention meeting next week in Wichita Falls, according to word received by Rotarians here. "Value of Club Publications" is the subject assigned to Schmink for Friday afternoon.

Among the Rotarians who will attend the Wichita Falls convention are Rollin Drake, president of the Port Arthur club; T. W. Huchen, IL. McCord and Sam Schmink, see

retirement.

Schmink was adapted to the screen from Rafael Sabatini's novel of the same name.

## WICHITA FALLS, March 27.—T. H. Marberry, Henrietta banker, was declared not guilty of irregularities in conduct of his bank by a jury. He was charged with receiving deposits knowing the bank was insolvent.

Physicians recommend Emerald Oil; it is used in hospital practice and a small bottle will last a long time, because it is very concentrated and a little goes a long way. Apply night and morning with a soft brush as directed until the swelling is reduced to normal.

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Elks Will Have Crack Team in Field This Week End to Trim St. Joseph When Two Clubs Clash in Exhibition Games

# Port Arthur Athletic Club to Give Smoker Friday, April 4

"PECK'S BAD BOY" OF AVIATION HERE SUNDAY TO EXHIBIT STUNTS THAT KEPT HIM FROM GOING OVER SEAS

## ON - THE FIRING-LINE

—With—

**Bill Archer**

Rusty Davis and Joe Prejean will don Elks uniforms Sunday afternoon and take prominent part in the Elk-St. Joe week-end clash.

This announcement from Skipper Cliff Gunn makes things look considerably different for the Elk lay-out this week end.

**RUSTY DAVIS** is one of the best first basemen in the city. In fielding ability, he can't beat Corley; but with the willow, Davis will outclass any other first sacker in the village. He is a consistent batsman, and will be valuable to the Elks.

**Joe Prejean**—“Irish” as they call him—will probably unlimber his good arm in the box.

Everybody in Port Arthur knows that Prejean is one of the best twirlers this city has ever produced. He went up last year, and came home before the season closed purely because he got in a wrangle with the powers in charge of the club to which he was attached. And already that same club, up in Nebraska, is seeking Joe for pitching duty again.

JOE may or may not accept the proffer of the Nebraskans. If he does, the city loses an excellent moundman. If he doesn't, Cliff Gunn has a crack man to put on the rubber in the pinches. And Prejean will deliver.

With Prejean in the box, Davis at first, Dinkins at second, Romero on short, Morgan at third and Vancamp behind the stick, Gunn will have an almost impregnable infield. He has a round half dozen excellent players to put in the outfield.

The games this week-end will not be just like they were last Saturday and Sunday. The Elks will stand a better chance to win.

Last week-end, they faced the obstacle of having never played together before, while the Saints who remained in town to give the boys a job had been practicing for some time. To beat Timm's crew this week-end, they will have to step on the scoring accelerator with a gusto.

**CLIFF** has gathered a neat team together, and one that is destined to go well in the smoky circles this season.

With the boys playing even the brand of ball they displayed in their opening clashes, it should be no difficulty to clinch regular week-end games here, and stage the events at Cosmopolitan Park. The public has turned out, viewed the beet diamond in the village, and have seen some good baseball. By keeping the park in trim throughout the ball season, it shouldn't be hard to get paying crowds every weekend.

## MILLERS TRIM NORTH ENDERS WITH HITS

**Special to The News**

**BAUMONT, Texas.** March 27.—The Millers made 21 base hits net, tallied yesterday, and they won from the Exporters, 11-6. The Millers' Minnows, 10-10; PO, 10-2; Critz, 28-26; Smith, 27-26; Gandy, 27-26; Pondeau, 27-26; Voss, 27-26; Jourdon, 16-15; Mayer, 16-15; Grubb, 16-15; McGehee, 16-15; Mitchell, 16-15; Lynch, 16-15; Mangum, 16-15; Griffin, 16-15; Griffen, 16-15; and Winkfield, 16-15.

**TOTALS**, 29-21-27-14-5.

—Batted for Lynch in 2nd—

Shaneson, 1-0; Taylor, 1-0; Skinner, 1-0; Jackson, 1-0; Johnson, 1-0; Stanbury, 1-0; Burke, 1-0; Black, 1-0; Potts, 1-0; Bernsen, 1-0; Lothe, 1-0; White, 1-0; Dunn, 1-0; Sigmund, 1-0; Eberhard, 1-0; and Action, 1-0.

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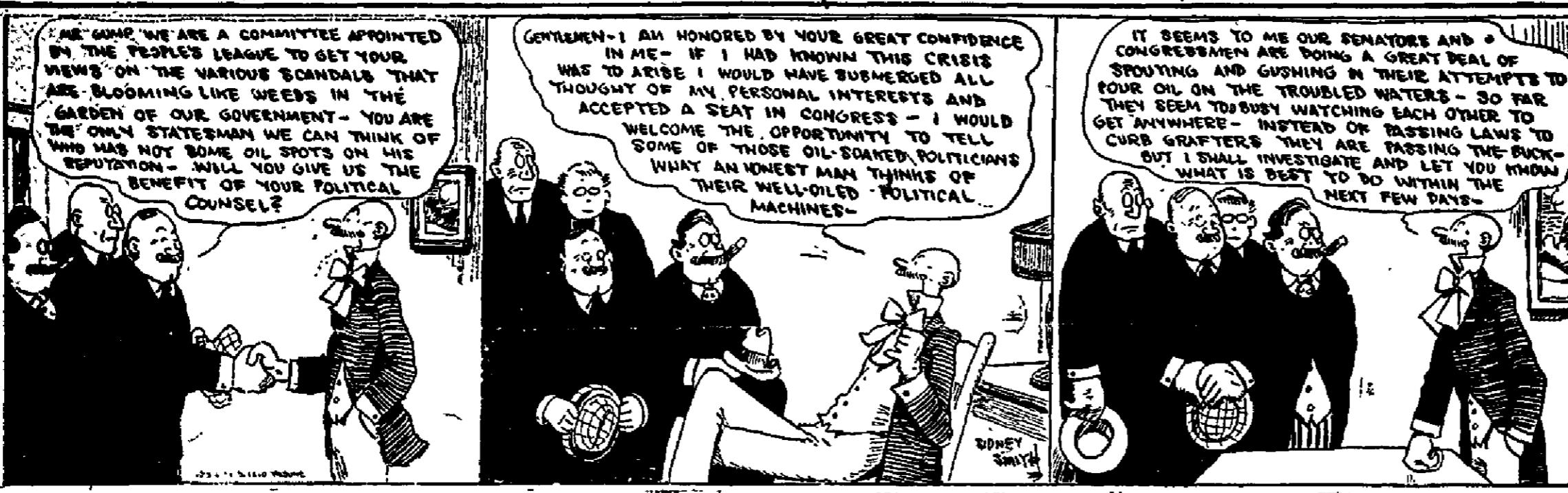
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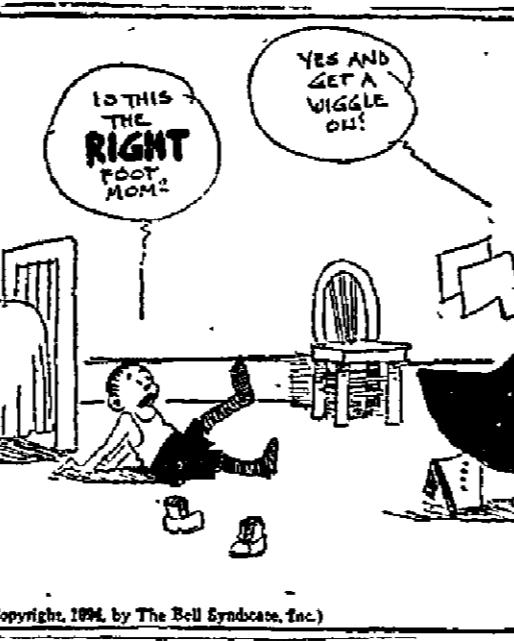
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REG'LAR FELLERS

If the Shoe Fits, Put It On

BY GENE BYRNES



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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Free Demonstration

## CHAPTER 147

A Map of 2,100 Years Ago

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Let us study this map. First of all, you will notice that the names are written in English letters. This is done to make it easier for you. It would be a mighty hard job to read the names the way they were set down by that scientist (whose name was Eratosthenes).

Three continents are shown—Europe, Asia and Libya. The last is the same as Africa. It was then called "Libya." The Greeks gave it that name because they had been in the habit of trading with tribes of Libya.

The name Europa or Europe came from the word for "darkness" used by the people of the Land of Two Rivers. The sun set in the direction in which Europe lay, so it was called the "land of darkness." The name Asia comes from the word "asru," which meant "sunrise" or "land of the sunrise."

You will notice that the continents have queer shapes, while rivers and seas are somewhat out of place. The map was a very good piece of work, however, when we think of how hard it was for people to learn about the world. The same man who made the map was sure the earth was round. He used a certain method of geometry to tell the distance clear around. His result was 23,000 miles, which is nearly correct.



This is a map of the world as it was believed to look by a great geographer 2,100 years ago.

## Color Cut-Outs

The Orchestra Leader



"If this is to be a school orchestra," said Mr. Tucker, the director, after the students had given their first recital successfully, "you shouldn't have a teacher for a leader when you perform. You should have one of your own number stand in front to keep time for you."

"I believe he's right," agreed Ellis. "When we play at school assembly next week, let's choose some one to lead."

"Suppose we let the one who does the best work this week have the honor of leading," was Mr. Tucker's suggestion.

This met the approval of the group, so each began to practice hard so the honor would be his. But Mary practiced harder than anybody else. That's why she was selected.

Mary deserves to wear this pink Infanta party dress since she has earned the title of orchestra leader. It is trimmed in blue. The hand-bands are pink with blue flowers, the hose are pink and the tops are blue.

## FOR SMART AFFAIRS

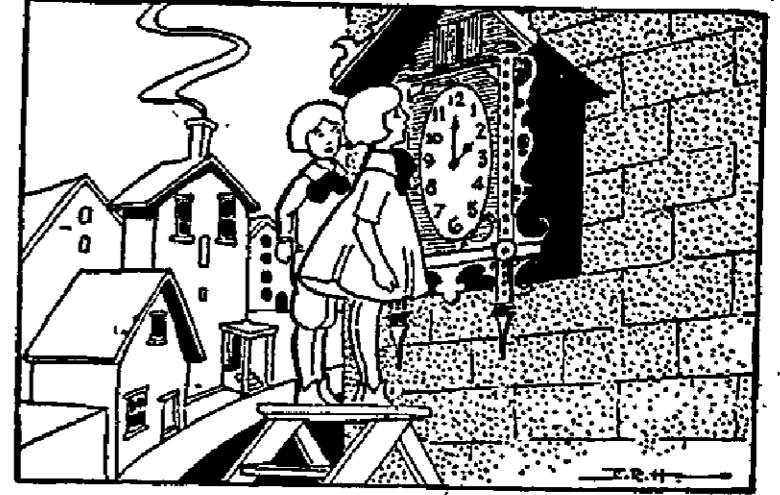
The white crepe or satin bodice joined to a wrapped or draped skirt of black is frequently seen at smart functions.

## LONG TASSELS

Very long tassels, wide and flat, are seen on the light colored crepe frocks for afternoon and evening gowns.

## ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON



"Where are you, Mrs. Cuckoo? Aren't you at home?"

"Do climb up and see what is the matter with the town clock," begged Mister Fuzz Wuzz of Dosfunny Land.

"What's wrong with it?" asked Nancy.

"I don't know, but the cuckoo hasn't been out for four hours and nobody knows the time. Mrs. Cuckoo said she didn't have the breakfast dishes done when her husband came home for lunch."

"Come on, Nancy, we'll borrow the ladder from the Humpty Dumpty Circus clown," said Nick.

So they got the ladder and up they went and peeped inside the cuckoo clock.

"Where are you, Mrs. Cuckoo? Aren't you at home?"

"Yes," answered the cuckoo from a dark corner. "But I'm mad."

"What are you mad about?" asked Nancy.

"Well, I'll tell you," said the cuckoo. "For years and years I've had it all my own way and I've worked faithfully. But what happens? Instead of getting my reward, they put an imposter in my place to mock me. Every time I go out and call the hour, he jumps out of a little door, too, and I know he's making fun of me."

"You must be crazy," said Nick. "There isn't another bird anywhere near. There isn't another bird in Dosfunny Land except the cut-out parrot."

"Is it the parrot?" asked Nancy.

"Parrots aren't any too polite and do mock people sometimes."

"No, it isn't the parrot!" declared the cuckoo. "She's silly, too, and gotten me mixed up a lot of times by her cackling, but she is a good-hearted soul. No, I'll tell you who it is. It's the dog that lives in that

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## CHILD'S STORY OF THE HUMAN RACE

By Uncle RAY

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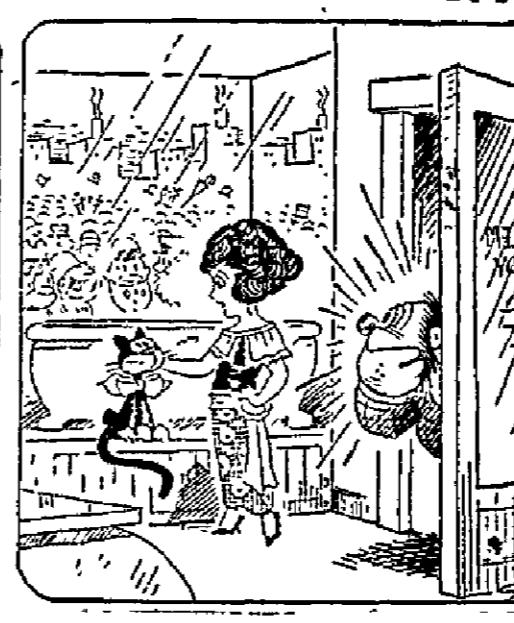
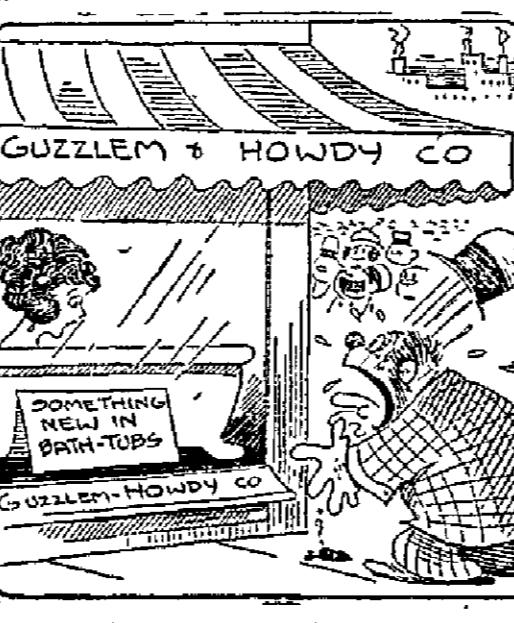
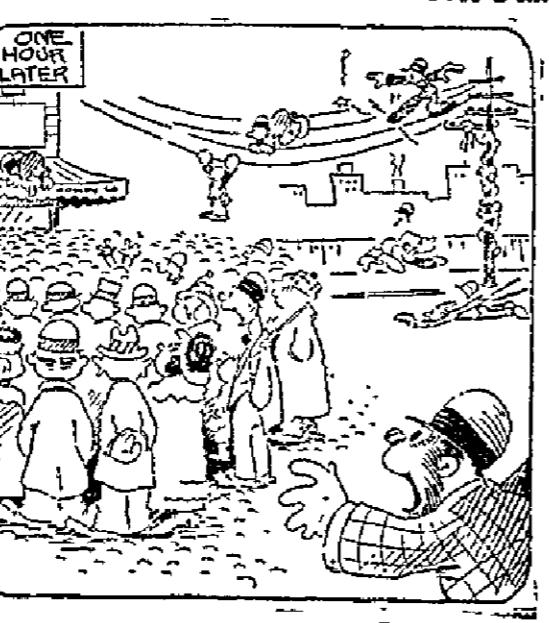
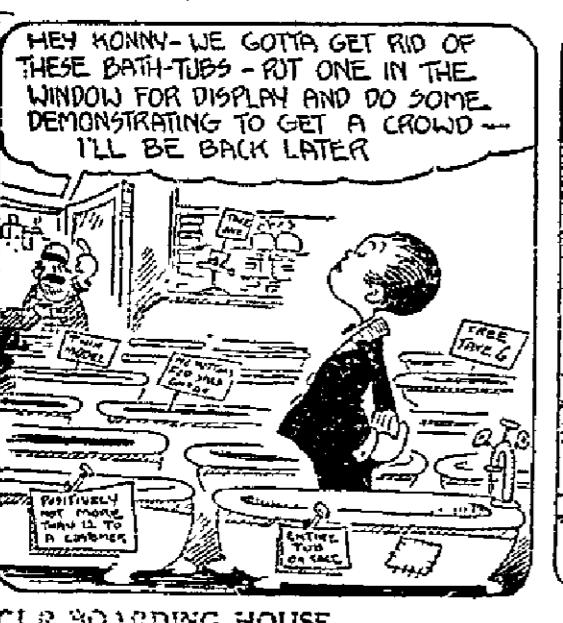
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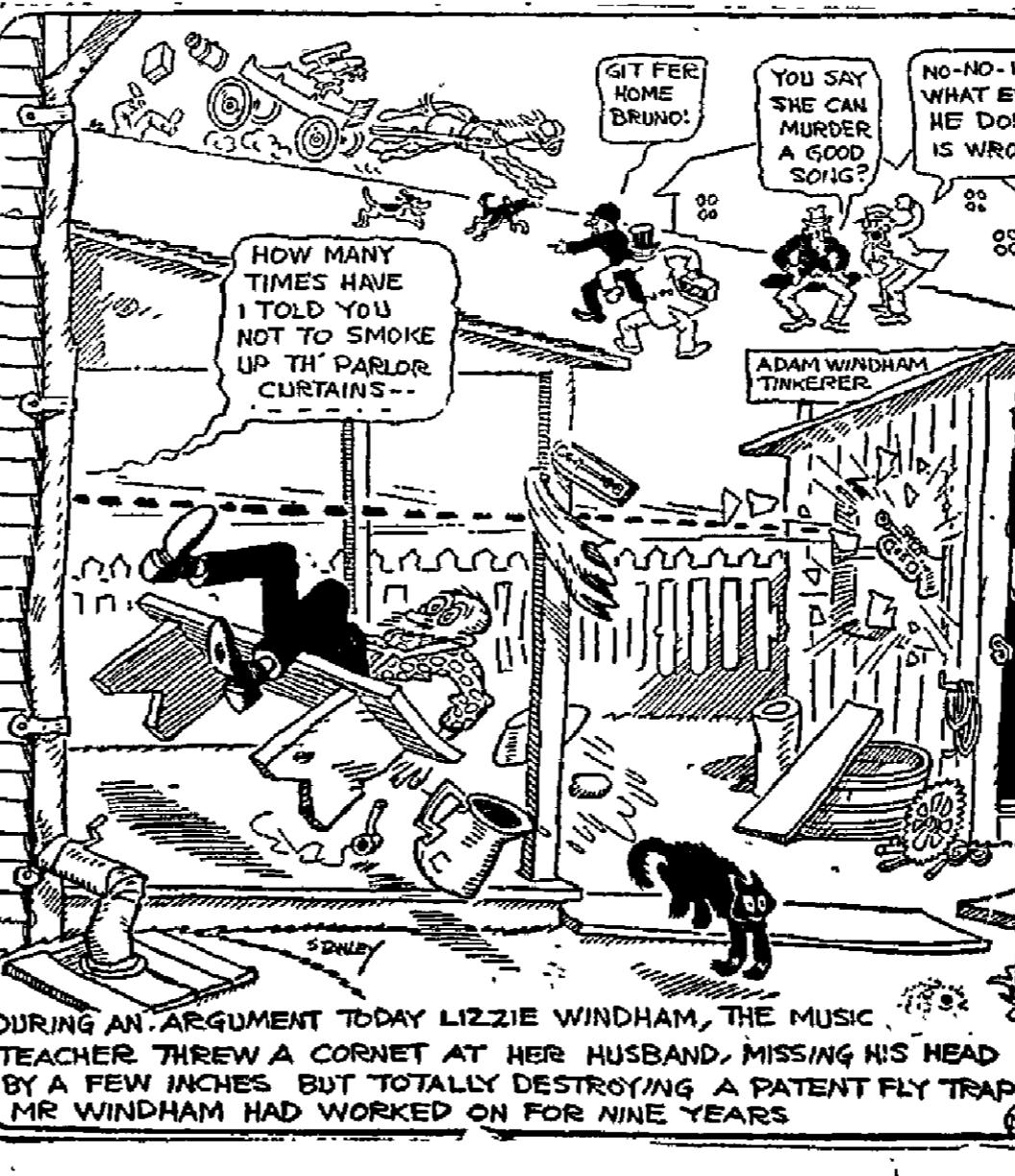


BY AHERN

CLY BOARDING HOUSE



THE MAJOR EXTENDS AN INVITATION TO ALL HIS CRONIES



DURING AN ARGUMENT TODAY LIZZIE WINDHAM, THE MUSIC TEACHER, THREW A CORNET AT HER HUSBAND, MISSING HIS HEAD BY A FEW INCHES BUT TOTALLY DESTROYING A PATENT FLY TRAP MR. WINDHAM HAD WORKED ON FOR NINE YEARS

By STANLEY

THE OLD HOME TOWN

**FUN HANES**

One of the smartest French coats has wide fur bands on the cuff and about the hem, but none but the collar which is a plain turnover, all such as is usual or tailored houses.

**LEGAL NOTICES**

ORDINANCE NO. 44  
AN ORDINANCE TO ADOPT AND SECTION A OF SECTION 14, ALSO  
SECTION F OF SECTION 14, ALSO  
SUB-SECTION E OF SECTION 14, ALSO  
SUB-SECTION F OF SECTION 14, TITLED "BUILDING CODE OF THE CITY OF PORT ARTHUR, TEXAS," AND REPEALING ALL PREVIOUSLY ENACTED PARTS THEREIN, IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF PORT ARTHUR, TEXAS, that section A of Section 14, also Section F of Section 14, also Sub-section E of Section 14, also Sub-section F of Section 14, entitled "BUILDING CODE OF THE CITY OF PORT ARTHUR, TEXAS," and repealing all previous parts thereof, be hereby amended so as to be entitled "Code of 1924." It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to erect or cause to be erected or maintained within the inner fire limits of the City of Port Arthur, Texas, any building or structure, addition to or removal from, any building, structure, part thereof, the outer walls of which are not composed entirely of brick, stone, or concrete, or other equivalent materials, or of other material so constructed of material other than asbestos, the asbestos, concrete or other roofing material as would come under the above classification, or any specifications and further providing that buildings erected with hollow pipe uprights and the outer walls of which are covered with or upon a fire-proof building, but all otherwise erected, built or constructed within District A shall be built out of such material as will be required by the code of other equal or substantial materials possessing the same fire resisting qualities.

Section 2. That sub-section F of Section 12 of said Ordinance No. 586 entitled "BUILDING CODE OF THE CITY OF PORT ARTHUR, TEXAS," be and the same is hereby amended so as to hereinafter read as follows: "All buildings erected or occupied as store, office or merchandising in District A, as well as all buildings conforming to the requirements of buildings to be occupied as store, office or mercantile, shall have outer walls, providing the floors are constructed out of and with concrete and with all other requirements for buildings in District A."

Section 3. That sub-section F of Section 10 of Ordinance No. 586 entitled "BUILDING CODE OF THE CITY OF PORT ARTHUR, TEXAS," be and the same is hereby amended so as to hereinafter read as follows: "All buildings and structures in District A, except private residences, shall have outer walls, providing the floors are constructed out of and with concrete and with all other requirements for buildings in District A."

Section 4. That all Ordinances or parts of Ordinances heretofore made with respect thereto are hereby repealed.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall be published once in the Port Arthur News and once in a newspaper of general circulation in said City, and shall take effect and be in force after it is published.

ADOPTED AND SIGNED this the 24 day of March, A. D. 1924.

J. P. LOGAN, Mayor.  
B. W. WADE, Com'r.  
E. H. WILLY, Com'r.

ATTEST: E. H. MILES, City Clerk.

**FRATERNAL**

Metropolitan Lodge #72, A. F. & A. M. Called meeting Wednesday evening, March 20, 1924, at 8 p. m. for work in F. C. degree.

Friday evening, March 22, 1924, at 8 p. m. for work in the Master's degree.

Wednesday evening, April 3, 1924, at 8 p. m. for work in the Master's degree.

Stated meeting April 3, at 8 p. m. Good attendance is requested. Visiting brethren cordially invited.

E. H. GARNER, W. M.  
J. J. CALHOUN, Sec't.

Stated Convocation Port Arthur Chapter No. 10, A. F. & A. M. H. P. M. Thursday, March 27, 1924, 7:30 p. m. Work in Royal Arch Degree.

E. H. GARNER, W. M.  
W. H. TELFAIR, Sec't.

**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR  
B. E. Quinn announced his candidacy for the office of County Tax Assessor, subject to the Democratic primaries July 24.

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## Louisiana Towns

### Ten Vessels Reported In-bound Here

Daily shipping records for months past were shattered today when 10 ships reported inward bound for Sebino district ports, five were scheduled to go to sea, and two shifted from Naches river terminals to Port Arthur. Among the arrivals today were the Royal Italian naval tanker Urano, to load at the Gulf Refining company and the Aluminum line steamship Dee, docked at the Texas Company.

Vessels going to terminals on the Neches river included two tankers to the Magpetro Petroleum company's docks at Magpetro, between Port Neches and Smith's Bluff. These ships are the British tanker Winnebag, and the Standard Oil company of New Jersey tanker De Soto. The William F. Burdell, a tanker, which arrived late Wednesday, completed taking part cargo at the Atlantic Refining company's terminals here and shifted to the Texas Company's terminals early today.

Three tankers arriving from Mexican oil ports, Tampico and Port Lobos, also were in the lists of inbound ships today. These tankers are Gulfstar and Gulftrade, to the Gulf Refining company, both from Tampico, and the Texas Company's tanker Dungannon, from Port Lobos.

**ARRIVED MARCH 27**

Vessel, Flag, Tonnage, Agent, Location.

Gulftrade, 4948, from Tampico to Port Arthur, Gulf company.

William F. Burdell, 3143, from Philadelphia to Port Arthur, Atlantic company.

Dea (Dan), 1459, from New Orleans to Port Arthur, Hall Shipping company.

Urano (Ital), from Italian naval stations to Port Arthur, E. Papich.

Dungannon, 4453, from Port Lobos to Port Arthur, Texas Company.

Gulfstar, 5316, from Tampico to Port Arthur, Gulf company.

Gulfking, 4008, from Jacksonville to Port Arthur, Gulf company.

William Green, 3923, from Philadelphia to Port Arthur, Atlantic company.

De Soto, 3037, from New York to Magpetro, Magnolia company.

Winnebag (Br), 2585, from Philadelphia to Magpetro, Magnolia company.

SAILLED MARCH 27

Gulflight, 3202, from Port Arthur for Philadelphia, Gulf company.

Vacuum, 4321, from Port Arthur for Paulsboro, Gulf company.

Sch. Hope Sherwood, 522, from Port Arthur for West Indies, C. Flanagan and Sons.

Roseric (Br), 3005, from Port Neches for Port Arthur, Sidney C. Collin company.

IN PORT ARTHUR

Container Docks

Sucareco, 2174, Transmarine corporation.

Texas Company Docks

Sch. Frederick P. Elkin (Br), 437, Texas Company.

Illinois, 3092, Texas Company.

Dryden, 3767, Lykes-Splitovich.

Roseric (Br), 3005, Sidney C. Collin company.

Dungannon, 4453, Texas Company.

Den (Dan), 1459, Hall Shipping company.

William F. Burdell, 3143, Atlantic company.

Gulf Company Docks

Gulf coast, 3202, Gulf company.

Gulfland, 3202, Gulf company.

Darden, 3155, Sidney C. Collin company.

Sanoco (Br), 4907, Gulf company.

Gulfking, 4008, Gulf company.

Gulfstar, 5116, Gulf company.

Urano (Ital), E. Papich.

Gulftrade, 4948, Gulf company.

Atlantic Company Docks

William Green, 3923, Atlantic company.

Ship Basin

Ship Marion Childs, 3519, Sidney C. Collin company.

Slip No. 2

Brig General, 152, Minger T. Ball, Bark S. G. White, 559, laid up.

AT PORT NECHES

Winnipeg (U.S.), 2585, Magpetro company.

Desoto, 3,77, Magnolia company.

AT ORANGE

Sch. Roseau, 214, Lutcher Moore Lumber company.

AT BEAUMONT

W. H. Tifford, 3739, Magnolia company.

Polybliss, 3253, L. J. Scottovich.

Roll (Dan), 1262, Hall Shipping company.

Mar Blanco (Span), 2886, John E. Jones company.

Sch. Ralph S. Parsons, 300, Texas Shipping company.

BAROMETER READING

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**TIDE REPORT**

The tide in the ship canal at Port Arthur, Thursday, March 27, at 8 a. m., according to the U. S. engineer's gauge was one foot.

**OBSTRUCTION TO NAVIGATION**

The following was issued through the New Orleans branch of the United States hydrographic office.

March 24—Latitude 26 degrees 25 minutes N. longitude 90 degrees 17 minutes W. obstruction 40 feet long, 30 inches in diameter. Radio from

## WALL PAPER

### PAINTS

### GLASS

### Picture Framing

Alfred Spence Co.

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## Louisiana Towns

UNICE, La.—New officers elected for the Chamber of Commerce here, officiating.

DE RIDDER, La.—Two school buildings in Beauregard parish burned during the past week. One was the two-story structure at Singer, the fire originating from a defective stove. The other school was at Bon Ami.

LAKE PLATTE, La.—Mayo Vining, 59, died at his home in Mamou, and funeral services were conducted from the Catholic church. Vining was one of the early settlers in the Mamou section. He is survived by several children and other relatives.

DE QUINCY, La.—A party of young girls hiked to Sulphur recently, returning the same afternoon. On the hike were Misses Bartella Perkins, Virginia Clegg, Gusse Cockerham, Frances Judd, Eula Perkins, Clara Manning, Willie Linse, Eula Cockerham and Moore, chaperone.

DE RIDDER, La.—Acting on a petition of the citizens here, the commission has ordered an election to determine whether or not an ordinance recently passed making it unlawful for cattle and horses to be allowed to roam the streets here shall be repealed.

LAKE CHARLES, La.—Mrs. C. E. Carroll, 31, who died here Monday after a brief illness, was buried in Gracefield cemetery with Rev. George W. Clarke, pastor of the First Baptist church, conducting the funeral services. Mrs. Carroll is survived by her husband and six children.

LAKE CHARLES, La.—For \$7,000 Herman W. Rock sold his property on Shell Beach road to Linda E. Washburn, Mrs. L. M. Mondt, Albert M. Miller, Selma Lock, Mrs. Irene L. Freeman and Mrs. Elmer Benzenstein.

ST. MARTINVILLE, La.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the Commercial bank here, officers elected were T. J. Latou, president; O. P. Resweber, vice-president; A. C. Gauntner, cashier; M. E. Breuette, assistant cashier, and Miss Fabiola Ediphon, bookkeeper.

LAKE CHARLES, La.—Charles Edward Boyd, 51, cashier of the First National bank here, died suddenly at his home, 401 Garfield street. An attack of acute indigestion complicated by heart disease of long standing, were said to have caused Boyd's death. Funeral services were conducted from the residence, with Rev. R. R. Duggs, pastor of the

Master S. S. Rochester via Naval Air Station, Pensacola.

Second Officer C. C. Eden of the American steamer Norman Bridge, Captain T. Saksen, reports that on March 4, 1924, Crocker Reef Beacon (Florida Keys), in approximately latitude 24 degrees 53 minutes N. longitude 90 degrees 31 minutes W. was missing.

**VESSELS DUE TO ARRIVE**

Soleil, due March 29 to Beaumont. Sidney C. Collin company.

Liss, due March 29 to Gulf company.

Vaha, due March 29 to Texas Company.

Kentucky, due April 5 to Texas Company.

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Salam, due April 21 to Lykes-Splitovich.

Glove, due March 23, to E. Papich.

Armenia, due March 27 to Lakes-Splitovich.

Silver Ash, due March 27 to Texas Company.

West Kasson, due March 31 to Lykes-Splitovich.

**Gas On Stomach**

Made Her Nervous

A 22 years Mrs. Cook had gas on the stomach and was nervous and short of breath. Finally she took simple glycerine, buckwheat bark etc., as mixed in Adlerite, and it did her a world of good. Most medicines act only on lower bowel but Adlerite acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel and brings out all gases and poisons. Helps any case gas on the stomach in TEN minutes. For sale by Kieas Drug Co., 328 Procter—Adv.

**For Raw Sore Throat**

At the first sign of a raw, sore throat rub on a little Musterole with your fingers.

It goes right to the spot with a gentle tingle, loosens congestion, draws out scrofula and pain.

Musterole is a clean, white ointment made with oil of mustard. It has all the strength of the old-fashioned mustard plaster without the blisters.

Nothing like Musterole for cruddy children. Keep it handy for instant use.

To Mothers: Musterole is now made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole.

35 & 65c in jars & tubes; hospital size, \$3.



BETTER THAN A MUSTARD PLASTER

## Clogged-Up Liver Causes Headache

It's foolish to suffer from constipation, sick headache, biliousness, dizziness, indigestion, and kindred ailments when Carter's Little Liver Pills end it in a few hours. Purely vegetable. Act gently on liver and bowels. Small Pill—Small Dose—Small Price.

Carter's Little Liver Pills  
will end it in a few hours.  
Purely vegetable. Act gently on liver and bowels. Small Pill—Small Dose—Small Price.



## Sale of Corsets

A two-day sale of Thomson's and Modact Corsets. Do your shopping Friday and Saturday and save.

\$2.50 Corsets special .....	<b>\$1.69</b>
\$3.00 Corsets special .....	<b>\$1.98</b>
\$3.50 Corsets special .....	<b>\$2.49</b>
\$4.50 Corsets special .....	<b>\$3.29</b>
\$6.00 Corsets special .....	<b>\$4.29</b>
\$7.50 Corsets special .....	<b>\$5.75</b>
\$9.00 Corsets special .....	<b>\$7.29</b>
\$10.50 Corsets special .....	<b>\$8.29</b>

## of Brassieres

Nature's Rival brassieres in a two-day selling sale.

75c Brassieres special .....	<b>59c</b>
\$1.00 Brassieres special .....	<b>89c</b>
\$1.25 Brassieres special .....	<b>98c</b>
\$2.25 Brassieres special .....	<b>\$1.98</b>
3.00 Brassieres special .....	<b>\$2.39</b>

## of Knit Wear

In just the styles and weights you will want this spring.

65c Knit Unions special .....	<b>49c</b>
75c Knit Unions special .....	<b>59c</b>
\$1.00 Knit Unions special .....	<b>79c</b>
\$1.25 Knit Unions special .....	<b>98c</b>
\$1.50 Knit Unions special .....	<b>\$1.19</b>

## of House Dresses

Our entire stock of high grade house dresses offered in a two-day special selling.

# FIRST ALUMINUM SHIP ARRIVES

Expect to Make This Port Terminal

Another ship to load out cargo in Port Arthur for the Far East, the steamship Invincible, arrived here today, the second vessel, this week destined for the Orient. The other steamship is the Dryden, which completed cargo at the Texas Company's terminals today, shifted to the Gulf company for bunkers this afternoon and is scheduled to sail Saturday.

The Aluminum line steamship Dea finished lifting cargo at the Texas Company terminals and is now taking lumber at the Cotton docks. This is the first ship of the Aluminum line to come to Port Arthur for cargo, and establishment of Port Arthur as the Sabine district terminals for the line is now being sought by Duncan M. Hall, the Aluminum line's representative here.

Completing cargo at Beaumont late Thursday, the steamship Polybius shifted to Port Neches early today to finish loading. The Texas Company's tanker Derbyline, which arrived in Port Arthur late Thursday from Tampico, discharged part cargo, here and sailed for Port Neches early today.

Bringing in a cargo of Mexican crude from Tampico, the Gulf Refining company's tanker Sucross is expected to reach Port Arthur today. Sailings from the Gulf company today include the Gulfcoast, for Tampa, and the Darden, for Tampico.

**ARRIVED MARCH 28**

Nessel, Flag, Tonnage, Agent, Localization.

Derbyline, 4348, from Tampico to Port Arthur, Texas Company.

Tacomo (Br.), 4233, from U. K. ports to Beaumont, Magnolia company.

Invincible, 4900, from Galveston to Port Arthur, Lykes-Spitovich.

Sucross, 3434, from Tampico to Port Arthur, Gulf company.

**SAILED MARCH 28**

Gulfcoast, 3202, from Port Arthur for Port Tampa, Gulf company.

Darden, 3155, from Port Arthur for Tampico, Sydney C. Collin company.

Polybius, 3539, from Beaumont for Port Neches, Lykes-Spitovich.

Derbyline, 4348, from Port Arthur for Port Neches, Texas Company.

Lafromo, 3434, from Port Arthur for Brazil, Lykes-Spitovich.

Illinois, 5092, from Port Arthur for Providence, Texas Company.

**IN PORT ARTHUR**

Coastwise Docks

Sucarco, 2174, Transmarine corporation.

Cotton Docks

Dee (Dan), 1450, Hall Shipping company.

**Texas Company Docks**

Dunham, 4455, Texas company.

Sch. Frederick P. Elkina (Br.),

433, Texas Company.

Rosie (Br.), 3005, Sydney C. Collin company.

Invincible, 4900, Lykes-Spitovich.

William Green, 3025, Atlantic company.

**Ship Basin**

Ship Marion Chilcott, 510, Sydney C. Collin company.

**Slip No. 2**

Eric Geneva, 152, Munger T. Bell,

Bark S. G. Wilder, 550, laid up.

**AT PORT NECHES**

Derbyline, 4348, Texas Company.

Polybius, 3539, Lykes-Spitovich.

**AT MAGNETCO**

Winnebago (Br.), 2855, Magnolia company.

DeSoto, 3637, Magnolia company.

**AT ORANGE**

Sch. Roseway, 241, Lutcher-Moore Lumber company.

**AT BEAUMONT**

W. H. Tilford, 3370, Magnolia company.

Sch. Ralph S. Parsons, 300, Texas Shipping company.

Hoff (Dan), 1202, Hall Shipping company.

Mar Blanco (Span), 3886, John E. Jones company.

Tacoma (Br.), 4233, Magnolia company.

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**VESSELS DUE TO ARRIVE**

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**Style Show Up Defects**

The girls who can't wear clothes which are in style because they have eczema, rash, leprosy, syphilis, or a "breaking out" where it would show, are more to be scolded than patted, because there is no need for them to be unattractive in out-of-style dresses when they can get rid of these skin troubles so easily now.

The wonderful Black and White Ointment is surprising thousands of girls who have had to deny themselves the attention which more attractive girls get, because it quickly removes all trace of these skin troubles so easily now.

Nearly two million packages of Black and White Ointment are sold every year. Nothing could prove more forcibly that it actually gets quick and lasting results.

It is economically priced, in liberal packages. The 50c size contains three times as much as the 25c size. All dealers have it—Adr.

Publisher On Stand



Here is Edward B. McLean, millionaire Washington and Cincinnati publisher and friend of presidents (right), testifying before the Walsh senatorial committee investigating the Teapot Dome transactions. On the left is his counsel, Wilton J. Lambert.

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Kentucky, due April 5 to Texas Company, Sydney C. Collin company.

Salaam, due April 21 to Lykes-Spitovich.

Grove, due March 25, to E. P. Prince.

Silver Ash, due March 27 to Texas Company.

West Kason, due March 31 to Lykes-Spitovich.

**OBSTRUCTION TO NAVIGATION**

The following was issued through the New Orleans branch of the United States hydrographic office:

March 10—Latitude 40 degrees 40 minutes, longitude 51 degrees 31 minutes; passed a black buoy marked 22 in white figures. Mercier (Belg. ss.), Degrise; Officer Gijsselsink.

March 17—Latitude 27 degrees 38 minutes, longitude 80 degrees 39 minutes; passed a large tree about 20 feet long and 3 feet in diameter. Herbert L. Platt (ss.).

March 12—Latitude 42 degrees 36 minutes, longitude 53 degrees 49 minutes; passed a spar projecting about 6 feet out of water. Mercier (Belg. ss.), Degrise; Officer Gijsselsink.

March 13—Latitude 40 degrees 40 minutes, longitude 55 degrees 24 minutes; derelict two-masted schooner. At a single Paris hotel 350 German salesmen are registered.

'Goodie Shoppe' New Port Arthur Cafe

Opening of the Goodie Shoppe Saturday with a line of home cooking and special luncheons was announced today by Fred Overstreet, San Antonio, manager and proprietor of the latest restaurant addition to the city.

The new establishment will be located in the William-Sachs building, 370 Fort Worth avenue.

The Goodie Shoppe will make a specialty of luncheons and will be conducted along the same lines as similar shops now located in all the large cities of Texas. Attractive decorations have been installed in the shop.

The entrance to the new shop will be at 370 Fort Worth avenue, off Proctor street.

**OIL CHEERS GERMANY**

HANOVER, Germany, March 28.—Germany is enjoying a new thrill in the opening near here of an oil gusher which may help grease the wheels of reparations. The well is said to be pouring out 600,000 pounds of oil daily.

**GERMANS LIKE PARIS**

PARIS, March 28—Germans are coming in greater numbers than ever to France. German fashion experts were noticed for the first time since the war at the recent Auteuil races. At a single Paris hotel 350 German salesmen are registered.

Little Temperature Range on Thursday

Temperature yesterday varied but eight degrees between the coolest and warmest readings of the thermometer, it was announced at the local weather observatory Friday.

Coolest temperature recorded yesterday was 64 degrees at 11 o'clock last night, the highest being 72 shortly after noon yesterday. At 7 o'clock this morning the mercury stood at 67.

**BRECKENRIDGE HOTEL DESTROYED BY FIRE**

BRECKENRIDGE, March 28.—Fire destroyed the Terminal hotel here, causing damage estimated at \$10,000. The American Railway Express company's offices adjoining the hotel were also wiped out.

**DIAMOND FOUND IN COW WEST KLONDIKE, WASH., March 28.—**While conducting a post mortem examination after the death of one of his valuable cows, Myron Dorden found a diamond stickpin protruding through the intestines. The pin had been lost last summer.

Certain variable dark areas on the moon are thought due to vegetation.

**FORMER BANKER AT GRAHAM GETS 2 YEARS**

WICHITA FALLS, March 28.—Frank McDowell, former president of the Graham National bank, was sentenced to two years in Leavenworth penitentiary, after pleading guilty here to charges of embezzeling \$30,000.

**Use Cuticura Soap And Ointment To Heal Sore Hands**

## COME ON BOYS—GET BUSY

AND WIN THAT

PEERLESS  
MOTOR - BIKE

That the Port Arthur Cycle Co.

And the Port Arthur News are giving to the boy who secures the greatest number of new subscribers to the Port Arthur News by March 31st.

There are two other prizes for those who come second and third.

2ND PRIZE

The boy securing the second greatest number of subscribers will be awarded the second prize.

A Pair of \$10 Pennsylvania Vacuum Cup

Bicycle Tires

or

\$10 Worth of Accessories

FREE CARNIVAL TICKETS, TOO

Every boy entering this contest will be given a free ticket entitling him to admission to all the H. B. Poole shows now being exhibited on 15th street between Mobile and Augusta avenues.

EVEN THOUGH YOU GET ONLY ONE NEW SUBSCRIBER YOU WILL GET THIS TICKET FREE.



2nd Mar 28.

3RD PRIZE

The boy securing the third greatest number of new subscribers will be awarded the third prize.

A Delco Electric Headlight

All subscribers secured in this contest must be new ones. Fill in the coupon on the opposite side of this announcement and bring or mail it to the Port Arthur News. No collections are necessary—just get the subscriber's name and address on the coupon and turn it in to the News office.

Clip This Coupon

All Premiums On

Display at

Port Arthur

Cycle Co.

120 6th St. Phone 2952

Go there and see them and then get your subscribers.

COUPONS

Deliver the Port Arthur News to address below for a period of at least two months and thereafter until ordered discontinued by me. I agree to pay sixty cents a month.

Name ..... Address .....

I am not a present subscriber Phone .....

I am not a present subscriber Phone .....

Taken by ..... Address .....

BOND OF \$500

ALLOWED TRIO

Baker Testifies About Capture of Still

Bonds of \$500 each were asked yesterday afternoon following the preliminary trial of three men charged with manufacturing intoxicating liquor. Justice of the Peace W. E. James set the bonds at \$500 each to guarantee the appearance of J. T. Prince, Lihess and C. Duplichain before the 55th grand jury. The three were charged with operating the huge still March 7.

Assistant County Prosecutor Jim Loren and his companions of the British round the world flight expedition arrived at Centocelle airfield at 7:40 a. m. today, landing their big Napier-Vicker Amphibian plane without mishap. They left Lyons, France yesterday.

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## A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

## The Editorial Mind

*forever,  
comma*

Odds and Ends and Comment on Our Morning Mail

Recently the house of representatives passed the first deficiency bill, which carried in it a provision to grant \$3,500,000 for strengthening the coast guard in its fight against rum running.

The appropriation provided for a fleet of 323 fast motorboats and the transfer from the Navy of 20 destroyers and two mine sweepers. To man the "dry fleet" the bill provides 75 additional commissioned officers, 261 warrant officers and 2,905 enlisted men.

The measure now goes to the senate.

A rag-picker named Harry Caine works in a shoddy mill at Springfield, Vt. As he was sorting the endless stream of rags the other day, he found a woman's pocketbook. It was old and dirty and torn. Harry gave it a glance and threw it on the floor.

Another fellow saw it fall. He picked it up, went through it carefully, even explored inside the lining—and found \$44.

Aeson would have taken this story and made it into a fable with this moral: "Good opportunities are thrown away daily by people who do not recognize them."

What is opportunity? Most of us consider it just another name for good luck. The average person's idea of opportunity is something that comes unexpectedly to the fortunate and fairly snoots: "Here I am. Didn't you expect me, did you? Big money—all ready for you to pluck, like ripe fruit."

There are, to be true, many opportunities of this sort. Legacies, for instance, and the occasional "lucky strike" by gold and oil prospectors. But for each big success of this kind, there are thousands of failures.

The Klondike gold boom! Mention of it immediately calls to mind men who found yellow nuggets and became millionaires overnight. We forget the thousands who found very little gold, the other thousands who starved and died to death seeking gold.

For every opportunity that "grows on trees," that comes unexpectedly like a windfall, there are hundreds of opportunities that are MADE.

Opportunity exists in everything. Few see it. You have, for instance, known cases where a new manager took a run-down business and built it up to a tremendous success. The opportunity was less in the business itself than in his own ability, hard work and determination.

Many a humble job is held by scores of men, one after the other, who seem to drift right on through and leave the job no better than they started. Finally comes the exception. He uses the job as a stepping-stone, as his opportunity. He does small things in a better, shorter way—thus training himself to be capable of handling a better job. Later he is promoted, eventually becomes head of the whole business.

Opportunity is occasionally blown in by the winds, but not often. Usually opportunity has to be created. In other words, success generally is up to the individual himself rather than his surroundings.

Uncle Sam has 20,000 genuine soul-skins—and the trouble selling them. A committee of experts recommends to Secretary Hoover that educational campaigns be conducted to teach women the "merit" of real sex for the government idea seems to be that women don't want genuine souls, preferring "Hudon seal-dyed muskrat."

Nothing is impossible to a super scientist. Prof. Hults, the German, has been experimenting. He predicts "sex transformation"—for instance changing roosters into hens to increase the supply of eggs. Interesting possibilities for parents who order a boy and get a girl. Prof. Hults doesn't promise dirt much.

What a pity that brains possibly capable of changing roosters into hens are not applied to simpler and more useful services to humanity. Genius has a passion for the impossible. If it were practical, though, it wouldn't be genius.

The Senate has adopted the joint resolution for a constitutional amendment to have presidents inaugurated third Monday in January and Congress take office first Monday in January after election.

It's a sensible idea. Most important thing for the public to keep in mind is that a political party by our present system is free to tinker with the laws for several months after voters have repudiated it and elected the other party to power. That's a poor way to play political baseball. The quicker repudiated politicians are sent to the benches, the better.

## FIRESIDE FUN

"She thinks it cruel to keep a live lobster in hot water."

"It's a wonder she wouldn't have a little pity for her poor husband."

BY THE HIRED "HELP"

"Well, Nellie, you may come to me next week and I'll give you a trial."

"That you'll not, ma'am. Sure, I had me many trials in my last place."—Boston Transcript.

## TRADES DAYS TO SHOW MUTUAL ADVANTAGES OF PT. ARTHUR BUYING

For a period of ten days beginning April 16 Port Arthur merchants will observe a series of "trades and bargain days." People use certain words to describe certain things. There seems to be no other words that will quite answer the purpose. Yet, using them, it is often found that misunderstanding of the purpose may result.

It is so with the term "trades and bargain days."

To begin with, announcement of such an event might carry the inference that there are no bargains to be found in Port Arthur stores except during such periods. This, we believe, and every patron of Port Arthur business places believes, is a misconception.

The real function of trades days will lie in that there will be a more coordinated effort on the part of merchants and business men generally in Port Arthur to demonstrate to the public the trades facilities of our own city, not entirely during the period of which dates have been set, but extended over long periods of time. The object is not entirely mercenary, though of course the merchants will benefit. But there will be the added benefit to many who will have opportunity to prove to themselves the purchasing power of the dollar in their own home town.

Why there should be so popular a superstition as that a dollar will go further away from home than at home is a mystery, yet it exists. Why we take unquestioningly the word of a merchant or salesman of another city miles distant, whom we do not know, have no possibility of restitution if goods prove otherwise than as represented, is another mystery.

There is a fundamental in community economics. It is that the dollar that goes away never comes back. As a factor in the community it ceases to exist. It is retired from circulation. The wage earner, the grocer, the baker, your banker, none see it again. Each suffer the loss of every dollar to the community. Spread out over the city, the result is cumulative, immense in the aggregate, a factor in the high cost of living and wages earned.

There is, of course, the purchaser's viewpoint to consider.

What the purchaser demands is concrete evidence that it will be of benefit to him—to his dollar—when he does business; that he will be able to get a maximum return in values for it, and that he be courteously considered as the purchasing factor. Home town patriotism and loyalty, these may be argued. But the argument of the dollar is more eloquent and more vital in the consideration of the average man.

The News believes that the trades day idea is a good thing for purchaser and dealer alike.

Proof is worth a world of argument, saves time, creates confidence and saves thousands of dollars to complete their cycle of activities in and for the community.

## JONES AND HIS LOAD

Readjustment of the annual payments of the government's public debt of twenty-one million dollars in order that there might be further tax reduction each year, is an important topic of discussion on the part of those of the senate who are considering the tax revision bill.

Under the treasury program two and one-half per cent is set aside each year from that part of the debt not comprised by the eleven billion dollars owed by foreign nations while the principal paid by the foreign nations is applied to the reduction.

On August 13, 1919 the gross debt was \$25,475,000,000. On January 31, 1924 it was \$21,601,000,000. Some democratic senators back a plan for a lower interest rate in order to create larger surpluses. This would break down the argument that high income tax rates would absorb the surplus.

Andrew Mellon, called by his admirers the Alexander Hamilton of today, is for the present system of reduction, holding that this would mean its retirement in thirty-one years while a lowering in the interest rate would make the period longer.

Secretary Mellon contends that the present interest rates will wipe out the twenty-one billion war debt in thirty-one years if the democrats do not interfere with his plan. If they succeed in changing the plan from two and one-half per cent to a lower interest rate, then it will take thirty-five years to wipe out the twenty-one billion dollar debt.

Jones may as well make up his mind to face the inevitable. Under the Mellon plan it will require thirty-one years to wipe out the war debt and under the democratic proposal it will require thirty-five years. This isn't all. A bonus has been evolved and it is certain to become a law.

It will cost Jones \$2,219,000,000 between this time and 1945 for he it known that the fact that it is an insurance bonus will not lessen the cost to the tax payer or lighten the load for Jones. It cost a lot of money to make the world safe for democracy and it is going to cost a lot of labor before the last dollar of the war debt and the bonus insurance pledge has been paid.

Andrew W. Mellon, foremost among the financiers of the world brazenly insists that a public debt is not a public blessing changing roosters into hens to increase the supply of eggs. Interesting possibilities for parents who order a boy and get a girl. Prof. Hults doesn't promise dirt much.

What a pity that brains possibly capable of changing roosters into hens are not applied to simpler and more useful services to humanity. Genius has a passion for the impossible. If it were practical, though, it wouldn't be genius.

The Senate has adopted the joint resolution for a constitutional amendment to have presidents inaugurated third Monday in January and Congress take office first Monday in January after election.

It's a sensible idea. Most important thing for the public to keep in mind is that a political party by our present system is free to tinker with the laws for several months after voters have repudiated it and elected the other party to power. That's a poor way to play political baseball. The quicker repudiated politicians are sent to the benches, the better.

Bad news for jokesmiths. A fungus called endothia parasitica is killing the chestnut trees.

Perhaps it would make motorists more cautious if locomotives used a track out in front instead of a cowcatcher.

Lesser love hath no man than this—that a man shall sell a second-hand automobile to a friend.

The Grand Oil Party and the Demoilera. What next? The Progressives and the Socialists?

Zero in luck. A man named John Anderson has opened 60,000,000 oysters and hasn't found a single pearl.

The poet who wrote "All's right with the world" had never read the front page of a modern newspaper.

The police close-list has been found. He lost the ace of spades from his deck and tried to buy another ace to replace it.

And now one objection to unconventionalism in the matter of morals is that unconventionalism has become too conventional.

Two million golfers in the United States. So every club can console him self with the thought that there can't possibly be more than 1,000,000 golfers better than himself.

A fool uttereth all his mind; but a wise man keepeth it in till afterward.—Prov. 29:11.  
He must be a thorough fool who can learn nothing from his own folly.—Hare.

"I Resign!"



## MISS ALIAS

by DOUGLAS GRANT



"No, she shall sit here by me on the divanport!" Wheeler Sloat had recovered from his temporary rebuff and followed but Sallis to the chair which Mrs. Copland had indicated. She knew that they were both looking at her appraisingly and glancing up she caught the quick flush of congratulation which passed between them.

"Oh, res, the roses!" Sallis turned and favored him with a soft little smile. "I've been told, too, that I've got you to thank for saving my life."

"Not at all! It was nothing—I know, that, any man!"

He paused, for Sallis gave a little gleam of laughter. She was coming to enjoy Cousin Wheeler.

"I believe you." She hoped he got her meaning. "You must have kept your wits about you pretty well in that wreck."

"Don't let us talk about it!" Mrs. Copland murmured. "The shock! Come in Fitch. Wheel the wagon over here, please."

Out of the tail of her eye Sallis saw the tall young footman enter with the tea-tray and proceed to arrange its contents on a little wheeled table which he rolled across to Mrs. Copland's side. Then at a whispered word from her he withdrew but before he had vanished once more covertly in Sallis's direction.

"I received a letter from your grandmother's secretary today," Mrs. Copland announced as she busied herself with the tea-things. "She will be able to return very soon now and she is more than anxious to see you."

So she had a grandmother, too! Sallis accepted the cup which Wheeler Sloat proffered and sipped her tea reflectively. They were slipping her some more information; surely they knew there was nothing wrong with her memory, especially after that crack to the nurse about her identity: "I had forgotten all about my grandmother." The third cup of tea within an hour paled upon her and Sallis placed it on a small table near. "There seem to be a whole lot of things I don't remember."

"You will always be reminded of them, Alvy," Wheeler Sloat remarked smoothly. "It's so many years since you have seen Grandma that she can't be anything but a name to you now but I've been with her a great deal, you know. She is really remarkable for her age, isn't she Aunt Fletch?"

"Quite," Mrs. Copland agreed but somewhat dryly. "It's very bad that her ailment is incurable but the months is the longest we may hope to have her with us, the socialist say; otherwise Alvy would have remained at her convent in Switzerland until the summer. She is quite helpless, you know, my dear, but her mind is wonderfully active."

She cocked her head on one side in an attitude of admiration and Sallis gazingly submitted. The idea of imagining that her hair wasn't natural.

Sallis gasped at the result when Therese opened a drawer filled with cosmetics and took out a small jar of rouge.

"Can that stuff?" she exclaimed. "I don't ever—"

"But you always permit a little, Mrs. Alvy!" Therese interrupted quickly. "You are so pale, like one small ghost! Mademoiselle will realize how she protested in Paris when we added the touch of brightness to her hair, and yet behold the difference!"

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"And quite as determined as ever! You will probably find her rather a terrible person to get along with, Alvy, but the only thing is to humor her."

"One thing more," Therese turned to the vase and selected three roses from it. "These will add the touch of pink."

"No, they won't," Sallis interrupted firmly in her turn. "I'm not wearing Mr.—Mr. Sloat's flowers."

She recalled the last name engraved on the card and something in the maid's tone warned her that she anticipated difficulty, hence it would be well to refuse.

But Therese had produced a pin and proceeded to fasten them at the soft belt as though no opposition had been offered.

"It will please Monsieur," she remarked composedly, "and that will also please your mother, undoubtedly. Come now. They are waiting in Madame's sitting room."

She threw open the door and Sallis faced her, deliberately unfastening the cardigan and laying them on the dressing table.

"I'm pleasing myself about this, Therese. Where did you say they were waiting?"

The maid shagged and led the way and Sallis followed, the assured smile of her high heels and the swirl of the silk draperies giving her a feeling of confidence.

In the hall she encountered a tall young footman with a tea-tray, and although he bowed quickly and stepped aside she noticed that he shot a glance of lively curiosity. She had not time to sociate with it, however, for Therese had thrown open a door at the end of the hall and announced:

"Mele Alea, Madame."

The room was large but the well-spaced groups of mauve-upholstered chairs and divans and odd little tables gave it an air of coziness which was enhanced by the warm glow of candlelight, for the curtains had been drawn. A tiny fire was lighted, too, on the hearth, and Mrs. Copland was seated before it in a deep chair.

She moved slightly as though to rise and then sank back again, biting her lip.

"Come in, Alvy." She tried to speak earnestly but there was a strained edge to her tone. "Your Uncle Fletch is here."

A slim, elegant figure in the snappest of clothes had risen and stepped forward, with both hands outstretched. Feeling very much as though she were in a play Sallis moved slowly forward to meet him.

"My dearest child!" His voice had a flip quality that went with the smile he had worn in the picture but he wasn't smiling now. Undoubtedly he was plainly ill at ease. "I am so glad that you are better. I could scarcely wait to see you."

Sallis gave him one of her hands and replied coolly: "Thanks." Her own nerve was strengthened by the momentary embarrassment of those two and she withdrew her hand and smiled at him with her small smile in the air.

"Alvy, you were given Wheeler's roses, weren't you?" Mrs. Copland spoke with a note of reproach. "Come and sit down, my dear."

## The Referee

## SPENDING

Government displays the genius of desperation in figuring out new ways to spend income tax money. Uncle Sam's "dairy statisticians" proudly announce that their extensive investigations disclose there are 3,000,000 cattle in the United States and cattle are cluttered with their findings.

What good does this sort of information do any one? It is typical of the activities of thousands who are on the payrolls of Uncle Sam, and mails are cluttered with their findings. You can safely bet that some of them will take a census of flies this year.

## BRAINS

On the way to work, we passed a banker humoring jazz. A block farther on, a ditch-digger whistling grand opera.

Brains and instinctive culture, like lightning, strike in unexpected

# More Rhythm, Less 'Rithmetic Would Help School Children, Says Dancer

## Younger Set to Enjoy Harley Berg's Orchestra At Department Club

YOUNGER set of Port Arthur has looked forward with anticipation to appearance of Harley's Berg orchestra at the department club this evening.

Harley's Berg orchestra, which has played in Port Arthur department club this evening for the weekly dance held there, and before, is just back from a tour of Old Mexico where it played for President Obregon in presidential affairs, and ended its tour by competing in an orchestra contest at Houston where it won first prize with its dance music.

Of especial interest is the fact that Joe Washburn, Port Arthur musician, is orchestration expert for the group, and will appear with them tonight.

Dances begin at 9:30 o'clock and continues until midnight.

**BAPTIST WOMEN ATTEND MEET**

The following women of the First Baptist church of this city attended the district meeting of the Southeast Texas Baptist Auxiliary Wednesday in Beaumont: Mrs. C. E. Earhart, Mrs. Joe Correll, Mrs. F. T. Outlaw, Mrs. D. W. Williams, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. A. Turner, Mrs. G. Dubon, Mrs. S. J. Whited, Mrs. A. W. Dyson, Mrs. J. A. Shire, Mrs. N. D. Haueter, Mrs. Travis Luebert, Mrs. W. P. Brown, Mrs. C. W. Strickland, Mrs. R. W. Martin, Mrs. J. B. Marchello, Mrs. W. S. Thomas, Mrs. R. T. Goldsmith, Mrs. John Warren, Mrs. H. W. Peck, Mrs. Jennie Culp, Mrs. C. W. Culpe and Mrs. Paul Petig.

**W. O. W. ENTERTAINMENT IS ENJOYABLE AFFAIR**

The W. O. W. entertained the Woodmen Circle last evening at the hall in the Hartford building with a most delightful affair. Mrs. S. Stephenson of Groveson, district deputy, and Mrs. Post of Beaumont, guardian of the Beaumont Grove, were in attendance and made short talks during the evening. Other entertaining talks were made by W. H. Upton, council commander of the W. O. W., Representative E. H. Quinn of Beaumont, B. H. Wiley, L. E. Nantz, Mrs. Elon Mitchell, Mrs. C. A. LeCoq and Mrs. C. H. Rogers.

In an amusing contest which gave diversion for the guests, Mrs. Elon Mitchell was awarded the prize. Several musical numbers were rendered during the evening and old fashioned dances were enjoyed. Delicious refreshments were served by members of the W. O. W.

**MRS. D. NICHOLS VISITING HERE**

Mrs. D. Nichols of Merryville, La., is spending a few days with Mrs. Flora Hauler of 2547 Fourth street.

**ST. GEORGE'S AUXILIARY MEETS WITH MRS. KEITH**

The Auxiliary of St. George's Episcopal church met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. North Keith at her home, 219 Stillwell boulevard. During the business session the women voted to distribute magazines to institutions in the city desiring material to read. Mrs. Keith gave an interesting report on the leper colony in Kisoa, Su. Japan.

Those present yesterday were Mrs. T. T. Fitzgerald, Mrs. C. H. Fitzgerald, Mrs. G. H. Eubank, Mrs. Suder C. Collin, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. S. I. Dunn, Mrs. May E. Jenkins, Mrs. A. S. Howren, Mrs. A. Sherman, Mrs. S. C. Dunlop, Mrs. Fannie Dunlop, Mrs. Denordy, Mrs. W. M. Patrick of Utica, N. Y., Mrs. A. S. Patrick, Mrs. John Glasgow, and Mrs. Nora Keith.

Mrs. May E. Jenkins will entertain the Guild next week at her home, 1647 Procter street.

**PYTHIAN SISTERS TO HOLD CANDY SALE**

The Pythian Sisters will hold a candy sale tomorrow afternoon in the lobby of the Peoples theater, starting at 4 o'clock. The proceeds of the candy sale will go to the Pythian Sisters treasury.

**ALTAR SOCIETY MEETS THURSDAY**

The Altar Society of St. Mary's Catholic church met at the Knights of Columbus hall yesterday afternoon at which time Mrs. Lyons and Mrs. Frank Darby were welcomed into the membership of the Altar Society.

Those in attendance yesterday were Mrs. Thea Place, Mrs. W. D. Yentzen, Mrs. Doherty, Mrs. John Ferguson, Mrs. George Steichl, Mrs. Lyons, Mrs. S. J. Larkin, Mrs. A. H. Barnes, Mrs. Mrs. Laughlin, Mrs. Breax, Mrs. J. Bammett, Mrs. A. A. Gunter, Mrs. P. J. Doyle, Mrs. Edward Leo, Mrs. Huston, Mrs. Frank Darby, Mrs. Garcia, Mrs. F. G. Betzel, Mrs. Argoin and Mrs. N. E. Mire.

**YOUNG PEOPLE ENJOY PICNIC**

A party of young people taking advantage of spring, motored to Port Neches park Wednesday evening, leaving town about 6:30 o'clock. Upon arriving at the park, the crowd built a fire and fried chicken. A delicious lunch was served picnic style with the fried chicken. Amusing games, ghost stories and victrola music were enjoyed until a late hour.

Those participating in this delightful outing were Misses Linnie Hamilton, Elizabeth Molton, Emma Nelson, Daisy Muns, Jewel Schmitz, Pearl McGee, Jessie Allen, Louise Chardin, and Etta Stockdon; Messrs. Ernest Carson, Pat Ramsey, Bert Smith, A. E. Gore, Vernon Dean, Desmond Street, Hanson, T. B. Parker and Bob McInnis; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Foreman, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Stokes, and Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Wadeworth.

**TATAPOCHEON CAMPFIRE GIRLS TO HIKE SATURDAY**

Plans for a hike Saturday to Port Neches were discussed by the Tatapochon Campfire girls Wednesday after-



TWO VIEWS OF RUTH ST. DENIS, FAMOUS AMERICAN DANCER.

NEW YORK, March 27.—More rhythm and less "arithmatic."

That's the slogan of Ruth St. Denis, famous American dancer—and she firmly believes that if this were followed out in our schools it would develop a more effective business brain than all the higher mathematics in the world.

"Children of the kindergarten age are not too young to study rhythms.

"Start youngsters off right—with health of body, and you have them on the right road—to health of mind."

To much time is wasted in both

reading and writing.

**Wednesday Night Bridge Club Has Charming Affair**

Mrs. Ethel Young Stucker entertained members of the Wednesday Night Bridge Club and additional friends at her attractive home on Fifth avenue, Model Addition, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Stucker selected a motif of pink and white to feature the charming affair, with roses and carnations of delicate hues forming floral beauty for the room given over to the hospitality. Bridge tables were outlined in covers and accessories displaying the dainty theme, and the salad course served at the close of the games honored the chosen theme in attractive manner. For high score in the games Mrs. O. J. Absire received the ladies' prize and W. J. Birch was awarded the gentlemen's favor. The guest prize was presented to Mrs. Billy Latham.

Five tables of players enjoyed the charming affair, the personnel of players including Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McCordle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Steele, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Urey, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Crawford, Mrs. A. G. Evans, Mrs. W. S. Green, Mrs. K. L. Goss, Mrs. N. J. Heber, Mrs. H. M. Hefner, Mrs. V. P. Houseman, Mrs. W. H. Johnson, Mrs. J. L. Latimer, Mrs. E. J. Moore, Mrs. W. W. Montague, Mrs. J. N. Payne, Mrs. J. H. Roberts, Mrs. Charles Slater, Mrs. G. Gertrude Slater, Mrs. W. L. Sellers, Mrs. E. N. Shaw, Mrs. Walter Tate, Mrs. C. M. Thomas, Mrs. R. N. Turner, Mrs. Percy Thompson, Mrs. T. S. Tyson, Mrs. W. L. Weatherill, Mrs. G. C. Wedell, Mrs. J. W. Williams, Mrs. G. B. Wiggin, Mrs. J. McFadden and Mrs. W. D. McFadden.

**BAPTIST LAYMEN MEET**

RANGER, March 28.—Baptist laymen of the oil belt district are holding a two-day conference here.

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## Mission Society Has Interesting Study Program

Mrs. George E. Carter, Mrs. W. H. Achey, Mrs. E. C. Follette and Mrs. E. J. Smith were trustees to the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist Episcopal church yesterday afternoon at Mrs. Carter's home, 2114 Sixth street.

A short business session preceded the lesson study and program, with an announcement being made that a sum of \$500.00 had been received as a thank offering at the special service Sunday morning at the church. Mrs. Susannah Leob had charge of the devotional services following which Mrs. C. R. Robinson conducted the lesson study on "Stewardship."

Mrs. C. V. Palmer gave a reading, "The Tenth Point," and Mrs. F. A. Timmins entertained with a lovely vocal selection, "This Is My Task."

Misses R. McFadden and Mrs. W. D. McFadden hostedesses to Ladies Aid.

Woman in Education at church morning session begins at 10 o'clock. Foreign Missionary Society of First Methodist Episcopal church with Mrs. George E. Carter, 2114 Sixth street, 7:30 o'clock.

Woodmen of the World entertainment, the Woodmen Circle at hall in Hartford building, 7:30 o'clock.

Nominating committee of Beaumont, Mrs. E. H. Latham, Mrs. B. H. Latham, Mrs. W. P. Brown, Mrs. C. W. Strickland, Mrs. R. W. Martin, Mrs. J. B. Marchello, Mrs. W. S. Thomas, Mrs. R. T. Goldsmith, Mrs. John Warren, Mrs. H. W. Peck, Mrs. Jennie Culp, Mrs. C. W. Culpe and Mrs. Paul Petig.

**Social Calendar**

THURSDAY

Stitches Club with Miss Leonore Lathe, Griffing Residential Park, 8 o'clock.

Altar Society of St. Mary's Catholic church at Knights of Columbus hall, 8:30 o'clock.

St. George's Episcopal Guild with Mrs. North Keith, 7:30 Stillwell boulevard, 2:30 o'clock.

Woman in Education of First Baptist church in Silsbee, session at church

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Woodmen Circle at hall in Hartford building, 7:30 o'clock.

Reading Club at the Department Club, 8 o'clock, 2121 Lake Shore Drive.

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Woodmen of the World entertainment, the

Woodmen Circle at hall in Hartford building, 7:30 o'clock.

Novel Program For C.E. Society Set for Sunday

A novel and interesting program will be carried out by the Endeavorers of the First Christian church Sunday evening at the meeting hour, 6:30 o'clock.

Articles are being prepared by several of the Endeavorers concerning the question, "What is the matter with the C. E. Society and why are there not more young people in attendance?" These articles will be read by the leader, Mrs. Henry P. Flote, and no names will be given.

In addition to the anonymous articles, the following program of musical numbers and readings will be given: the letters to be interposed throughout the program:

Hymn: "In the Garden."

Scripture reading: Romans Twelve.

Prayer: Rev. R. R. Yelderman.

Hymn: "Sweet Hour of Prayer."

Violin Selection—Vernon Reischinger.

Duet: Selected—Misses Wee Griffin, soprano, and Gladys Garrett, contralto.

Piano number—Mrs. H. Claud Holmes.

Reading—Miss Ruby Edmonds.

Violin number—Mrs. Adrian C. Gorman.

Vocal solo—Miss Lois Boutwell.

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## The Tangle

LETTER FROM LESLIE PRESCOTT TO LESLIE PRESCOTT, CARE OF THE SECRET DRAWER

You do not know, dear little Marquis, how wonderful it seems to be home again, to be among my own possessions; to open this little drawer where the utmost secrets of my heart are laid; to know that no one in all the world except you has access to them.

But, since I have seen Paula, I have a feeling that she bears no ill will. Indeed, she spoke in the most glowing terms of him, although I have a feeling that she does not want to marry him now.

Dear old Jack met me at the station as though I had been gone for years. There is one thing, little Marquis, that you missed, you missed that feeling of belonging that no woman can have unless her lover is her husband.

One can talk of all the thrills and the joys and the moonlight and the laughter of romantic love, but unless one can flaunt the possession of one's lover in the eyes of the world, and say "He is mine, he belongs to me and I belong to him." He is my husband and I am his wife," there can be no perfect happiness.

I believe neither you nor any other woman who has had to love in secret can ever know the joy and the bliss that I knew when I came home to my husband yesterday.

**TOMORROW**—More of the letter to Leslie Prescott, care of the secret drawer.

**SHANGHAI NEWSPAPER DESTROYED BY FIRE**

LONDON, March 28.—Fire destroyed the office of the Shanghai Times and an adjoining warehouse containing \$2,000,000 worth of silk, according to a Central News dispatch from Shanghai.

**DIAMOND RING STOLEN**

## SCOUT HONOR COUNCIL TONIGHT

32 Boys Will Get Rank Advancements

Time for the Port Arthur Boy Scout Council's Court of Honor to-night at 8 o'clock in Franklin auditorium and the showing of a feature film immediately afterwards are completed today, according to word from Boy Scout headquarters.

Honor awards and higher ratings will be given 32 Port Arthur Boy Scouts tonight. Robert A. Silvers, attorney, and Scout commissioners, to members of the council at the Court of Honor, Scout officials said. J. Ed Biggs, chairman of the Court of Honor, will preside.

An invitation to the public to attend the Court of Honor tonight and the movies afterward also was extended by Scout officials. The name of the feature picture to be shown is "The Man from Frozen River."

### MIRACLE MAN

(Continued from Page 1)

that's all.

B. E.—The party cares.

V. B.—You can, but why worry.

Mrs. N. L.—I would advise you to get married.

Mrs. F. S.—Just get busy with yourself and earn to control yourself.

H. M.—The thing is all right.

Mrs. H. M.—You should settle your difficulties.

M. H.—I do not see any change for your husband at this time.

S. A. W.—I would hold the lot for more money.

Mrs. W.—I do not see you getting this back.

H. M. R.—I would advise you to buy a property more money.

C. E. T.—See better things for you.

Mrs. R. P. D.—There is no reason for you to separate any longer.

Mrs. L. A. T.—I would not advise you making the change just now but later you will change.

C. M.—I could not ask. I would do the thing I thought best.

Mrs. G. E. T.—I would not advise you to change just now.

J. C. T.—This is not registered at this time.

L. M. S.—The boy is your friend.

L. M. S.—I would just wait, look, and listen.

Mrs. M. S.—I do not see success in this thing at this time.

Mrs. L. P.—You have not met your mate.

A. J. G.—I will try and help you if you will see me.

L. M. S.—Just get busy.

Mrs. O. G.—This is up to you. You have not your mate.

G.—I would be governed by the advice of my doctor.

Mrs. M. P.—I would advise you to get a place to keep roomers and board.

C. G.—I do not see you getting married just now.

Mrs. J. C. T.—I see your sister coming out.

Mrs. J. C. M.—In my opinion you should not wear your ring.

R. W.—The boy is all right. Yes, see him again.

Mrs. J. C. T.—I would study that most carefully before I did.

J. C. T.—I do not see a change for you.

Mrs. R. P. D.—I would hold the lot until I make you money.

Mrs. A. H.—I see success for him.

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Mrs. O. G.—This is up to you. You have not your mate.

G.—I would be governed by the advice of my doctor.

Mrs. M. P.—I would advise you to get a place to keep roomers and board.

C. G.—I do not see you getting married just now.

Mrs. J. C. T.—I see your sister coming out.

Mrs. J. C. M.—In my opinion you should not wear your ring.

R. W.—The boy is all right. Yes, see him again.

Mrs. J. C. T.—I would study that most carefully before I did.

J. C. T.—I do not see a change for you.

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**Y.M.B.L. Sponsoring Two More Exhibition Ball Games At Park Saturday and Sunday When Elks Play St. Joe Again**

# Greatest Stunt Flyer Listed on Elks Charity Fund Show

## Diavalo is Ace Of Movies That Have Been Shown Here

BY BILL ARCHER

WHEN you go out to the aviation field on El Vista road Sunday afternoon to witness the stunt and daredevil trick flying of the Gates Flying Circus fliers, don't faint if you see a human body shoot out of one of the airplanes and come tumbling earthward at a terrific rate of speed.

We said don't faint because it won't be necessary. What you will really be witnessing will be "Diavalo," foremost of all aerial performers in the world, in one of his latest "better-than-movie" thrillers, which he has entitled the "Breakaway." In this scene, conducted at a very high altitude, "Diavalo" plunges suddenly from the wing, or from beneath his airplane, and scoots earthward at a terrific rate of speed, suddenly stops in midair with an awful jerk, and twisting of the body, and seems to hang suspended there, and that's just what really occurs; Diavalo executes this death-defier through means of a cable which he attaches to his body.

And Diavalo is just one of the entertainers who flirt with death that will be featuring the program at the field on El Vista road Sunday afternoon under the auspices of the local Elks club; the funds of which will go into a charity fund. An admission of 50 cents—just half of that usual price—but for aged adults, little children who are usually taxed a half a dollar will be charged 25 cents to "witness the same performance which the Gates fliers put on everywhere over the United States."

### Ace of Them All

Berlenbach is undoubtedly the greatest living daredevil flier. He executes many tricks that no other trick and stunt pilot would attempt to negotiate. If you don't agree with you see him Sunday, we will be fully mystified.

The famous aviator has out-classed by a great margin all who have attempted aerial aerobatic performances on airplanes. Formerly a member of the air service of the United States army, Diavalo started doing his stunts flying while doing service on the Mexican border in 1919. Reading notices of the achievements of the great Locklear, who was the original great Locklear, Diavalo began to duplicate his stunts, and in a short time outclassed the original in this line of work. In a short time Diavalo obtained his release from the army and entered into a contract with a well-known moving picture producer of Los Angeles, and for the past three years has been doing all the death-defying aerial stunts you have been witnessing in the movies. However, of course, most all of Diavalo's stunts have been credited to the regular stars appearing in the productions.

### PLAYS ROLES IN MOVIES

But it was Diavalo you saw in "Go and Get It," "Sky High," and "Stranger Than Fiction," etc. And the famous aviator has appeared on numerous occasions in the Fox, Pathé, and International News Weeks.

There are only three aviators in the world who have successfully performed the dangerous plane-to-plane and Diavalo is the foremost. He is going to execute this stunt Sunday afternoon three miles from this city on the El Vista, or back road to Beaumont. A large level field has been mapped out there for the planes, and the program will last for several hours.

After their regular performance, Port Arthurians who wish to "take off" with any of the famous fliers will be given that opportunity, when the aviators start making passenger trips.

A real thriller in the way of air circus performances is on tap for Sunday, and the local Elks are responsible.

### Exhibitions

LAKELAND, Fla.—R H E Brooklyn, Nationals ..... 3 Cleveland, American ..... 3 Henry, Dickerman and Taylor; Shaute, Levens and Walters, Miami.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla.—R H E Cincinnati, Nationals ..... 1 1/2 Cleveland, American ..... 1 1/2 George, Crampton, Aspinwall ..... 1 1/2 May, Mayo and Wing: Amrose, Ketchum and Hartley.

AUSTIN, Texas—R H E University of Texas ..... 4 University of Minnesota ..... 3

RALEIGH, N. C.—R H E Toronto, International ..... 1 1/2 Detroit, Americans ..... 1 1/2 St. Louis, Browns ..... 4 Cincinnati, Cole, Davis and Woodall.

FORT WORTH, TEXAS—R H E Little Rock, Southern ..... 1 1/2 Fort Worth, Texas ..... 1 1/2 Kennedy, Brake, Roberts, Wilson and Lapian: Ryan, Reid and Wolgan.

CLEBURNE, Texas—R H E Dallas, Texas ..... 6 1/2 Hall, Voorhees, Wenberg and Roche; McGuire; Williams, Robert and West, Johnson.

LAMPASAS, Texas—R H E Waco, Texas ..... 1 1/2 Don, Moore, Westerner ..... 1 Green, Leech and Humphreys; Johnson, Linbergh and Anflinson.

OAKLAND, Calif.—R H E Chicago (S) ..... 8 1/2 Oakland (Cone) ..... 6 1/2 Newark, Columbus, Newark, O'Farrell; Selbold, Murcile, Arlett and Reid.

SAN FRANCISCO—R H E Pittsburgh (N) ..... 3 1/2 San Francisco (Coast) ..... 4 1/2 Morrison, Yde and Gooch; Schmidt, Scott, Burger and Paul, Ritchie.

WACO—R H E Baylor College ..... 10 Bradenton, Fla.—R H E Bradenton, Fla. ..... 2 1/2 Washington (American) ..... 2 1/2 Doak, Sherel and Vicks; Nebergall, Holm; Zahmier, Wingfield, and Tate, Harrarve.

SARATOGA, Fla.—R H E New York (National) ..... 14 1/2 Neff, Bradshaw, Jonnard, Mann and Alsmith; Walker, Lingren, Ross, O'Brien and Young.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.—R H E Boston (National) ..... 2 1/2 El Petersburg (Florida) ..... 2 1/2 Senior, Schenck and Courtney.

## Giants' Infield Is Rated Best Defense in National League



LEFT TO RIGHT: GROH, THIRD BASE; JACKSON, SHORTSTOP; FRISCH, SECOND BASE; KELLY, FIRST BASE

PRESENTING the greatest infield in the National League, the quartet that has helped John McGraw win several pennants with his New York Giants. Groh and Kelly are rated veterans, Frisch and Travis youngsters. McGraw rates Frisch the greatest infielder in the National League and Jackson the most promising.

## Sarasen and St. James Holding Track Interest In Next Kentucky Derby

NEW YORK, March 28.—Mr. William K. Vanderbilt's champion Sarasen and George D. Windham's St. James probably will carry the bulk of the eastern money that will be wagered on the Kentucky derby.

Practically every owner in the east has a candidate or two in the hands of thoroughbreds that are working out on the Metropolitan tracks, but Sarasen and St. James are dominating the interest because of their records as two-year-olds.

### Sarasen Looking Great

Sarasen, which may be the favorite in the derby, stepped a half in .33 in his last workout and St. James did the same distance in .51 4/5 under a pull from Jack Joyner's exercise boy.

Sarasen had a filling in his ankle which kept him in the stable for several days last week and caused him to be held back.

As a result of the meeting, Berlenbach was abruptly stopped in his climb to pugilistic fame by being knocked out.

It will be recalled that Firpo wanted the Dempsey fight postponed one day. He didn't think he was ready.

Popular demand and the lure of money, however, caused Firpo to take chance. He was knocked out after having lost the big chance to win the heavyweight title because of inexperience.

About eight years back Jimmy Dunn, then manager of Johnny Kilbane, featherweight champion, was the most panned manager in captivity because he refused to match Kilbane with Knockout George Chaney.

Chaney at that time was an even greater ring sensation than Berlenbach as a knockout king. He looked on as the fighter certain to dethrone Kilbane.

At that time Kilbane was fighting his best. I was rather surprised at the attitude of Dunn even though I realized Chaney a most dangerous opponent. When I asked Dunn for an explanation he remarked:

"Chaney is a tough boy. If I matched him now, but in a year he will be soft picking."

"Chaney swaps punches. In every bout he takes a good whipping before he gets his man. Those beatings will soon tell on a fellow who fights as often as Chaney does."

"Let them rave. Kilbane isn't going to fight Chaney until I am ready to make the match. Then Kilbane will knock Chaney out without any great trouble."

Dunn stuck to his guns. Finally made the match. Chaney was a big favorite. Kilbane stopped him in three rounds. Rushing a fighter, even a champion, is usually a grievous mistake.

### Illini Victorious In Major Events

Special to The News

URBANA, Ill., March 28.—Con University of Illinois athletic team maintain the championship year they have set so far for the present school year? Probably not, for the Illini athletes have won the indoor track championship and tied for first honors in football, basketball and wrestling.

Victory in outdoor track and in baseball would place Illinois in the lead at the top of the heap but it would be asking a great deal to expect the Orange and Blue to sweep the platter. At that Harry Gill's trackmen may repeat their indoor victory outside. But baseball prospects are not good.

The Illini are feeling pretty good about the achievements of their teams. The trackmen copped the indoor conference meet with ease. Michigan, the runner-up, scored but half as many points.

The basketball team won a triple tie with the Badgers and the Maroons for first honors. At one time the Orange and Blue were trailing in seventh place. Injuries, sickness, ineligibility combined to hold up the weakened but determined Illini. Almost everybody but the coach and players gave up hope. They hung on and their steady fitness eventually was rewarded with six victories in row and a tie for the flag.

Medical students in New England used to take laughing gas for amnesia before they learned its actual value.

### SISLER SHOULD BE IN FIELD—CLARKE

SARASOTA, Fla., March 27.—In the opinion of Fred Clarke, former manager of the Pittsburgh Pirates, who visited the Giants' camp yesterday, George Sisler would be wise to shift from first base to the outfield.

"Sisler should play first base for the Browns at Mobile," said Clarke in a fanning bee, "and in my opinion he ought to go out in the outfield. He looks like a player with only one good eye."

"When he bats he faces clear around to bring his left eye in line with the ball, and he catches flies with his head turned to one side."

"A man might get away with this in the outfield, but at first base there are too many close and fast plays where a player needs all the eyes nature endowed him with."

### BUFF BEATS FORBES

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 28.—Johnny Buff, former flyweight and bantam champion, defeated Harry Forbes, Columbus, in 10 rounds last night.

LEESBURG, Fla.—Chicago's White Sox tottered to a 4 to 3 defeat at the hand of the Phillips here yesterday.

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## AGGIES, BEARS TIE UP TODAY

### Open Southwestern Conference Race at College Station

Special to The News

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, March 28.—The Aggies open their intercollegiate baseball season at the college today when they meet the Rice Owls in the first of a two-game series. The second will be played Saturday afternoon. It will be the first conference games for both teams. The only contest that the Owls have had previously was a victory for them against an industrial baseball team of Houston. For comparison the Farmers can point to a split series with the Waco Indians.

Their guarantee to St. Joe will turn out to the weekend affairs.

No announcement as to who will open the games for the two contingents has been made.

## St. Joe Meets Elks In Week-End Games

Their third two-game series of the exhibition season will be played here tomorrow and Sunday when the St. Joseph Saints clash again with Cliff Gunn's Elks. Saturday's game will get underway at 4 o'clock; Sunday the game will start at 3 o'clock.

EIGHT hundred tickets for the two events have been placed on advance sale through direction of the local YMCA, and the events have been advertised throughout the city. It is believed a crowd sufficiently large to "pull the YMBL" out of the hole he has dug for himself.

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### HOLDS ROOKIES

NEW ORLEANS, La., March 28.—Pending arrival of Colonel Ruppert, owner of the Yanks, and Ed Barrow, business manager, Miller Huggins put off the application of the gate to rookies.

From a survey of prospects it appears that the Farmers have a very good chance to win one of the games.

In Rogers the Aggies have one good pitcher that can be depended upon ordinarily to maintain strength through nine innings. Later in the season when King Gill gets his arm in condition the Aggies may be able to annex a couple of games in succession, but Gill will not be in condition for another week at least. Therefore, House will have to select his moundmen from some second string benchmen. Kishi, Jennings and Graver were all used in the second game against the Waco Indians last week but all three together failed to accomplish what Rogers did single-handed in the first game.

There was considerable encouragement bestowed on the Aggie grandstand last week by the fielding of the new team that House has formulated particularly are the stars of last year promising. Chapman on third base covers the bag and fields batted balls with precision. Puckett in the outfield played errorless ball in covering wide area and Johnson on first was steady at all times and also served on the spectacular.

The game today will start at 4:10 and tomorrow at 2:30.

Football players on the Fiji Islands do not wear shoes or any other foot protective paraphernalia.

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# Port Neches to Have Strong Entrants in County Athletic Contests

## SCHOOL PICKS CONTESTANTS

### Literary Events Also Will Be Entered

Port Neches plans to send a strong delegation into the county track and literary meet to be held in Beaumont Saturday. It was asserted today by J. H. Hicks, superintendent of public instruction in Port Neches.

The list of entries, made public this morning by Mr. Hicks, includes numerous girls. The community is "lanking strong on this contingent to win honors for the institution." The entry list includes the following:

**Junior Boys' Field and Track**  
 50 yard dash—Vance Jones, Orilee Gentz, Wayne Tribble; substitute, Dayton Heard.  
 100 yard dash—Wayne Tribble, Orilee Gentz, Everett Staffen; substitute, Dayton Heard.  
 440 yard relay—Wayne Tribble, Orilee Gentz, Vana Jones, Everett Staffen; substitute, Erwin Cheate.  
 Running high jump—Wayne Tribble, Vana Jones, Orilee Gentz.  
 Running broad jump—Wayne Tribble, Orilee Gentz.  
 Chipping bar (pull up)—Lawless Lacoste.

**Junior Girls' Field and Track**  
 50 yard dash—Althea Jones, Thelma Myers, Louise McKinley; substitute, Valma Means.  
 200 yard relay—Thelma Myers, Pauline Mullins, Mary Lena Crawford, Daisy Margaret Welch; substitute, Althea Jones.

Potato race—Thelma Myers, Pauline Mullins, Mary Lena Crawford, Daisy Margaret Welch; substitute, Althea Jones.

Basket ball throw for accuracy—Pauline Mullins, Mary Hollings.

Basket ball throw for distance—Mary Holmes, May Lou Block.

Volley ball—Norma Opran, Arnes Luket, Willie May Coward, Arnes O'Bannon, Christine Mills, Ethel Jones.

**Literary Events**

Senior spelling—Martha Stirling, Jessie Schulz.

Sub-Junior spelling—Neila Black, Esta Foxworth; alternate, Annie Catherine Andre.

Junior spelling—Christine Mills, Vana Jones; alternate, Catherine O'Bannon.

Music memory—Dora Bicks, Essy writing—Thelma Phillips, Senior girls' declamation—May Nolan; alternate, Pauline Houghton.

Junior girls' declamation—Daisy Margaret Welch; alternate, Charlotte Chiasson.

Senior boys' declamation—Alfred Brooks; alternate, Walter Marke.

Junior boys' declamation—Joe McAlpin; alternate, George Forster.

**Senior Boys' Field and Track**

120 yard dash—Dick Hurles—Arthur Chancey, Walter Marke, Nelson Hebert.

100 yard dash—Shelly Wooten, Arthur Chancey, Nelson Hebert.

One mile run—Harold Grossie, Claude Alford.

30 yard dash—Lawrence Wilbanks, Claude Alford.

440 yard dash—Arthur Chancey, Claude Alford, Walter Marke.

220 yard dash—Lawrence Wilbanks, Shelly Wooten, Walter Marke.

880 yard run—Arthur Chancey, Harold Grossie.

One mile relay—Shelly Wooten, Arthur Chancey, Nelson Hebert, Harold Grossie.

Discus throw—Claude Alford, Harold Grossie.

Running high jump—Lawrence Wilbanks, Shelly Wooten, Arthur Chancey, Nelson Hebert; substitute, Harold Grossie.

Tennis singles—Alfred Brooks, Senior Girls' Field and Track.

Valley ball—May Nolan, Mary McKinley, Pauline Houghton, Willie Mae Block, Bertha Esth, Gillie Stiles.

Basket ball throw for accuracy—May Nolan, Catherine O'Bannon, Basket ball throw for distance—Catherine O'Bannon, Claudia O'Bannon.

100 yard dash—May Nolan, Dorothy Lambert, Gillie Stiles.

200 yard relay—May Nolan, Dorothy Lambert, Gillie Stiles, Catherine O'Bannon; substitute, Mary McKinley.

Potato race—Dorothy Lambert, Gillie Stiles, Claudia O'Bannon, Catherine O'Bannon; substitute, Mary McKinley.

### CUSTOMS AUCTION SALE IS PUT OFF

Auction sale scheduled to be held this morning at the federal building by customs officials was postponed for a week. It was said at the customs house Friday. The sale will be held Friday, April 4, at 10 o'clock. Among the things to be offered to the highest bidder are a woman's pocketbook, a pistol and some trinkets seized by customs officers.

A few countries use standard time based on the longitude of their national observatories.



### Here's What to Eat and Gain Weight

One raw apple, 1 shredded wheat biscuit with skimmed milk and no sugar, 6 ounces boiled haddock, 1 cup stewed kale with lemon juice, 1 cup lamb stew with vegetables, 4 tablespoons sliced cucumber, 2 slices gluten bread, 2 tablespoons rhubarb pudding, 1 pint skinned milk, 2 ounces lettuce.

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The ordinary "ped" of lettuce weighs about one and one-half or two ounces, so if you must use leaf lettuce cut in ribbons instead of hearts of head lettuce, you can figure your ounces accordingly. The average head of lettuce weighs nine ounces.

Needless to remind you that the fish is served with parsley and lemon, so melted butter or eggs.

As an apple is supposed to contain 50 calories you may get one at bedtime if you are very stout and are very hungry.

The lamb stew contains diced carrots, turnips and peas with a bit of onion for flavor. The broth should be unthickened for the resulting "tray."

### SERIOUS CHARGE AFTER GUNPLAY

#### Resisting Officer With Firearms Alleged

Charges of resisting an officer with firearms yesterday afternoon were filed against a young negro following his arrest by Detective C. E. Brown Wednesday afternoon after he had been disarmed by the officer.

According to Brown the negro threw a gun on him while he was waiting for the patrol to take the negro to the station, demanding that he be turned loose.

A short scuffle ensued and the negro was disarmed and sent to police headquarters, two charges being filed against him. A charge of carrying a pistol was lodged against the negro the more serious charge being filed against him later.

According to police the charge of resisting arrest with firearms carries a penitentiary sentence upon conviction.

The charge of carrying a pistol was set for today, but continued until Saturday upon request of the negro's counsel.

Preliminary plans, grades, estimated and blue prints are being prepared by the firm in their local office here.

Under the arrangement with the consulting engineers the firm will do the preliminary work to the actual construction, the fee being a flat 5 per cent of the money spent on the work planned by the engineers.

#### Work Soon Starts

#### On City Projects

Work on preliminary plans and estimates for the expenditure of more than \$1,000,000 of the city's money will be completed in the near future by the Nagel, Watt and Rollins company, a firm of consulting engineers engaged to supervise the work voted recently under the bond issue.

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The frequency of sun spots is periodical, the maximum number occurring at intervals of about 11 years.

In Arizona, Feb. 11 is a holiday, it being the anniversary of the state's admission into the Union.

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WASHINGTON, March 27.—The log of one day's Senate oil investigation just a typical day in the long-drawn inquiry.

9 a. m. Doors to the committee room unlocked. Group of early arrivals, mostly women who date on sensations, hurry in and get front seats in the public section. Buzz of conversation, reviewing past sessions, begins.

9:45 a. m. Room filling up. Attendants carry in more chairs. The big room, 40 by 80 feet with high vaulted ceiling extending through two stories, takes on appearance of society ball-room in use for fashionable lecture on "Personality—How to Get It."

9:45 Dick Collins of the Senate press gallery comes in with an armful of yellow "cop" paper, which he distributes to press tables. Newspaper men begin arriving. Ed Smithers, White House telegrapher, who worked the Washington end of Ned McLean's private wire of evenings, takes a seat on a big leather couch behind the committee table.

With him is "Pat" McLeane, stocky, bald-faced door-keeper at the White House, who wired McLean Senator Smoot was leaving for Palm Beach from more crowded Standing room only."

9:47 Senator Ladd, rotund acting chairman, enters from private ante-room, seats off at table. Walsh comes briskly in, followed by Dill of Washington. Portentous pause as committee men arrange their papers and the hands of the clock approach 10 a. m.—the hour set for the hearing.

10 o'clock. Senator Walsh announces that inasmuch as the members wish to read over some telegrams not previously studied, the committee will go into executive session. The room must therefore be cleared.

10 to 10:10. Indignant but private voiced protests among the early arrivals at having to give up their choice seats. Wonder if they will be able to get back in. Try to leave wraps on chairs so as to hold them for their return, but policemen insist all wraps and belongings must accompany owners outside.

10:10 to 10:15. Crowd blocking corridors outside wonders why it couldn't have been simpler for the three members of the committee to have withdrawn to private office rather than drive 200 spectators from committee room. Decide major committee couldn't legally hold committee meeting except in a committee room. Decide senatorial dignity required the procedure followed. Curse senatorial dignity.

10:20. Senator Smoot enters committee room.

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11 o'clock. Corridors stand still standing in corridor. Air thick with smoke and acridities.

11:20. Doors opened again. frantic rush inside. Late comers get good seats, early arrivals crowded to rear or find standing room only. Senator Walsh puts on nose glasses. Senator Ladd raps for order. John Major, "confident" man for Ned McLean, called to stand.

11:25. Senators Moses, Kendrick, Burson and Adams arrive. Walsh begins examination. Necks are craned. Ears are strained.

Major tells about telegram he sent McLean and telegrams McLean sent him. No identifies code messages. Says he never used Department of Justice code. Had one of his own which he worked up, supposing McLean would implement. No. Didn't have it now. Had destroyed it. Destroyed McLean's copy, too. Had made another code which was effective until March 15. Wouldn't be good much longer—would have to make up another one.

"How many codes did McLean use?" Walsh asks.

"That makes me laugh," answers Major. "The messenger code hasn't come out here. That identified individuals as 'The Lion,' 'The Bear,' 'The Walrus,' etc."

"And there was the one about 'Apes,' 'Peaches,' 'Cherries' and 'Prunes,'" suggested Walsh.

More questioning. More testimony. The clock shows 12:45.

"That's all," Walsh announces, dismissing the witness.

Major stands up, wipes his round face and bald head with a blue-bordered handkerchief, then grins broadly.

"I'm glad," he declares. "Makes a fellow nervous up here."

"Session adjourned till 10 o'clock tomorrow," says Senator Ladd, speaking for the first time.

**LONG DISTANCE RADIO**

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa, March 28.—The owner of a three-tube radio here had the unpreceded experience recently of receiving music and talks over the air from Schenectady and London in one evening.

**Poisonous Fogs**

LONDON, March 28.—Some of the fogs which London experienced last winter were real varieties of mustard gas, according to Dr. Edwin T. Ash, specialist in nervous diseases. Many children, he said, contracted "fog poisoning."

**To Pass the Time Away**

BORED NIGHT WATCHMAN (counting the stars): Let's see—where did I leave off last night?—Punch.

Sinclair at Hearing



## TWO NEGROES GO TO DEATH CHAIR

Confess Slaying Dallas Police Officers

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The bodies of the negroes were forwarded to Dallas for burial.

**TOUGH ON CRITICS**

BERLIN, March 28.—Herr Alfred Kerr, dramatic critic of the Berlin Tagblatt, was knocked down and kicked by two young puffins, one of whom admitted he had been commissioned to attack the critic by an admirer of an actress that Kerr had criticized. Not long ago a German prima donna attacked a newspaper critic in the street with a whip.

**TEACHES GOLF AT 80**

LONDON, March 28.—One is not necessarily old at 80," is the dictum of William Philpot, golf instructor and club and ball maker at Preston's Golf club, Michigan Common, for the last 28 years. Philpot is in his 80th year and is the oldest golf professional in the country.

**LAST OF THE TRIBE**  
VISITOR: Good farming around here?

GARAGE MAN: Well, there used to be until we sent him to Congress.—Life.

The second recipe will serve four or six persons.

**APPROVED BY CRITICAL COFFEE DRINKERS**

MANCHESTER, Eng., March 28.—The great seal of England, of which Lord Badminton again becomes custodian, has had several strange adventures. Besides being stolen and thrown into rivers, it was once buried to escape being burned. In 1812 Lord Chancellor Eldon's house took fire and he rushed away with the seal and buried it in the garden. The next morning he could not remember where he had buried it and the family had to poke the garden with sticks before it was located.

Clean and drain oysters. Alternate an oyster and a piece of bacon on a skewer. Base each oyster with a little melted butter. Put skewers across a narrow dripping or baking pan and cook in a hot oven or under the flame for 15 minutes.

As the bacon cooks the oil from it bastes the oysters. Arrange oysters and bacon on narrow strips of toast and garnish with slices of lemon. Pour drippings in the pan over oysters and serve at once. Allow four oysters and four pieces of bacon for each person.

The skewers may be removed or left as the cook prefers. If you have enough skewers for each service it's rather more satisfactory to serve the oysters on them.

**NICE FOR DOGGIE**

LONDON, March 28.—The Countess of Kimberley owns the smallest dog in London, a Mexican terrier, weighing less than half a pound.

"I take him to have his paws manicured occasionally," says Lady Kimberley. "He is especially fond of bronze silk stockings, when he sees them."

**TAKING NO RISKS**

Now, look 'ere, young man," said the portly pater to the artist, "I want you to paint my picture so as I know it's me, but nobody else couldn't tell."—London Daily Express.

**NERVE WED CALL FT**

WICHITA, Kas., March 28.—Sign here on a bootlegger's house: "Fresh Corn Licker, \$5 per quart. No sales made to minors or police men."

Wash rice through several waters. Drain and add slowly to rapidly boiling salted water. Boil 20 minutes. Drain and pour boiling water through rice. Drain again. Melt butter in a pan with a tight-fitting cover, add rice and shake over fire. Cover and let stand in a warm oven until needed.

Clean and drain oysters. Put a layer of rice in a well buttered baking dish, add half the oysters, sprinkle with salt, paprika, a dash of instant and lemon juice. Pour over half the white sauce.

Cover with another layer of rice, add remaining oysters, seasonings and white sauce and cover with rice. Sprinkle with grated cheese and bake about 40 minutes in a moderate oven.

Total calories, 1270. Protein, 144; fat, 65; carbohydrate, 472; Iron, .001 gram.

**OYSTERS WITH RICE**

One-half cup rice, 1 quart boiling water, 1 teaspoon salt, 4 tablespoons butter, 1 pint oysters, 1 cup white sauce, salt, paprika, mustard, 2 tablespoons lemon juice, 3 tablespoons grated cheese.

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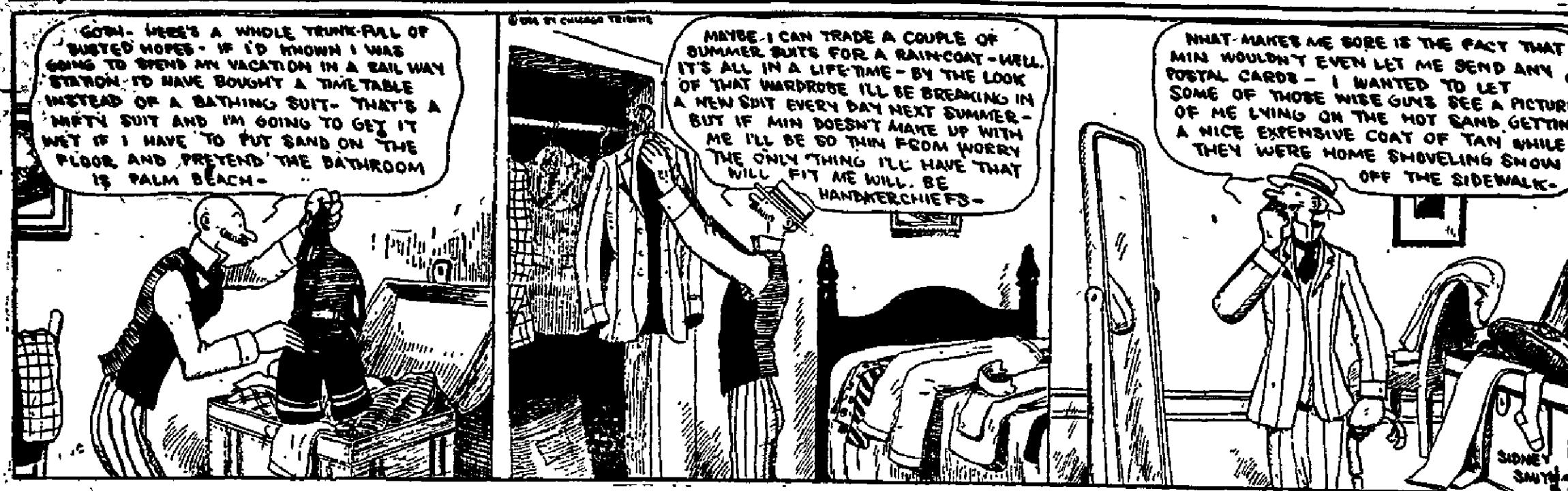
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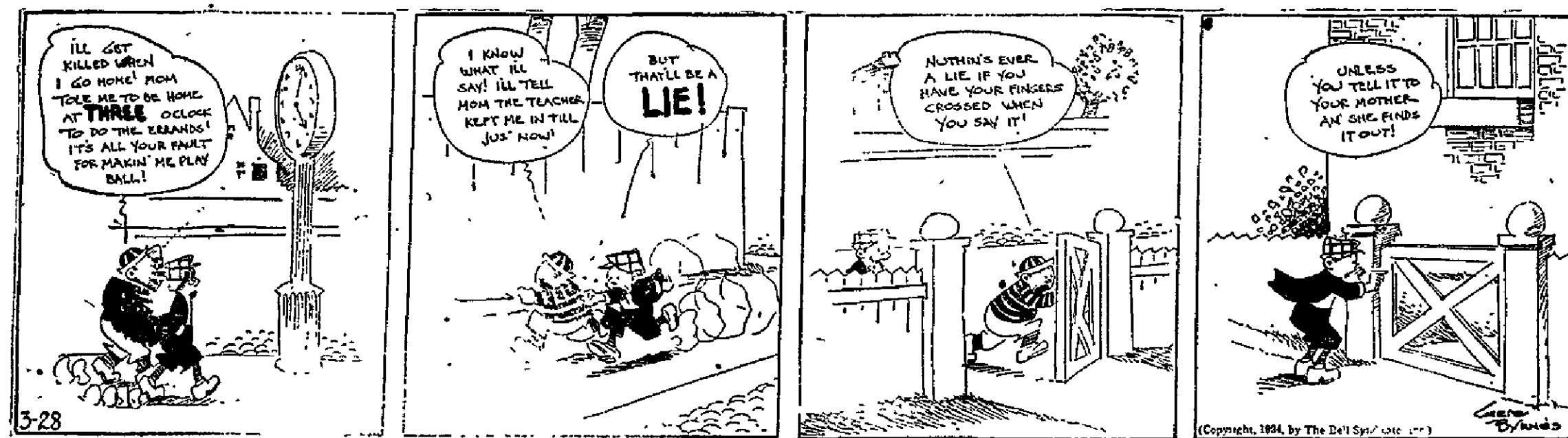
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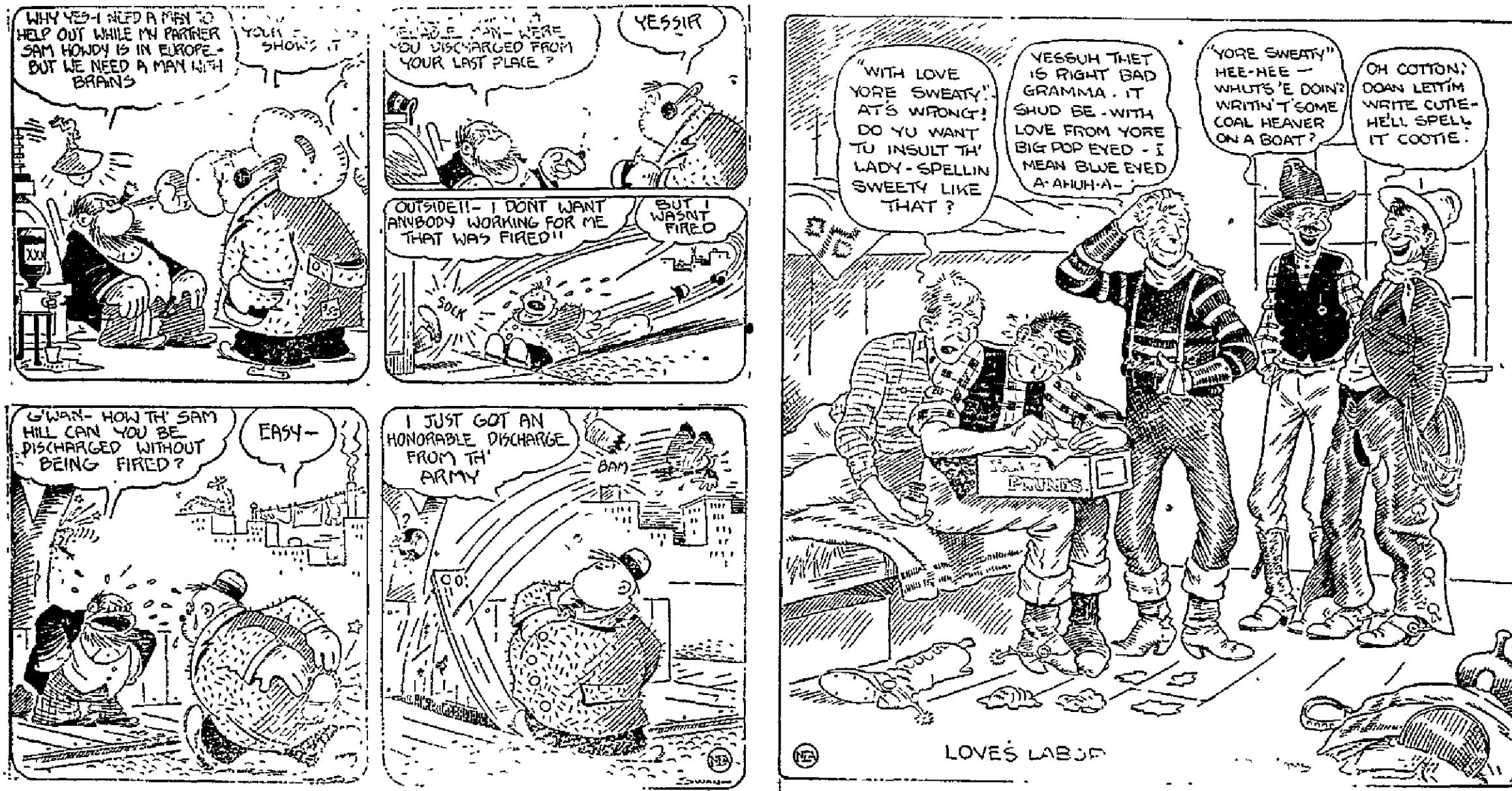
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BY GENE BYRNES



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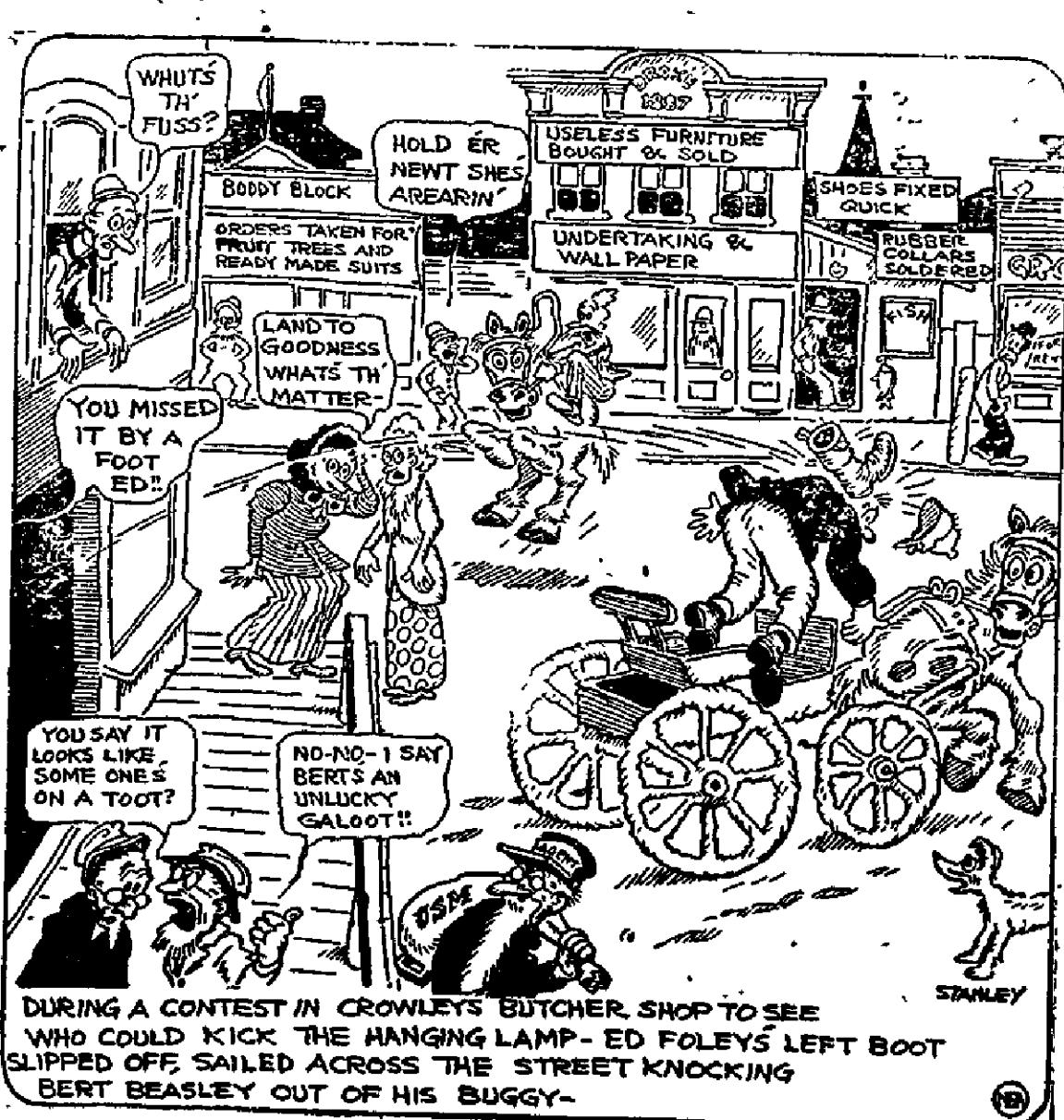
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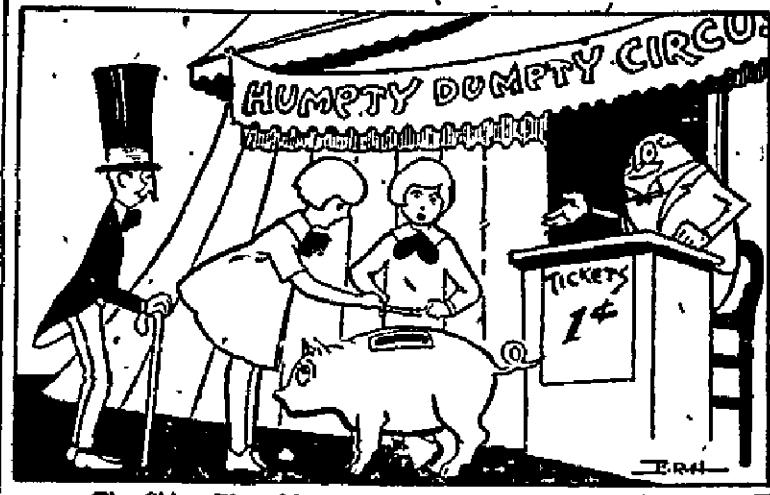
BY STANLEY



## ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

NO. 2—THE HUMPTY-DUMPTY CIRCUS



The China Pig with a slot in his back for the pennies.

All the Doofunny people were going to see the Humpty-Dumpty Circus and asked the Twins to go along.

So off they went with Mister Fuzz Wuzz at half past 12, to get good seats.

The China Pig with a slot in his back took the pennies as you passed in, and by the time half of the Doofunny Landers were inside he was so full he couldn't move, and had to ask Sambo, the black boy in the side show, to help him.

"Who, that's the easiest thing in the world!" declared the Cut-Out gentleman. "Get me a thin hand and I can get the pennies out for you."

"But you'll spoil your fine coat!" exclaimed Mister Fuzz Wuzz.

And indeed Mister Cut-Out was quite a dude.

"The pig being china, I don't mind," said he, and putting in his thin hand he drew out a penny. He soon had the poor pig empty of a drum.

"Thank you, kind sir, you have saved my life," grunted the pig.

"Don't mention it," exclaimed the other. "Nothing at all! I'll save it for you any time."

Of course the Cut Outs all got in free after that, and a grand circus it was!

The best thing of all was a race

two Humpty-Dumpty clowns ran on the Humpty-Dumpty elephant and the Humpty-Dumpty giraffe.

"Hoop, hoop, hoorah!" cried Nick,

"I bet on the elephant."

"I bet on the giraffe!" cried Mr. Fuzz Wuzz, waving his high silk hat.

"Elephant!" yelled some.

"Giraffe!" shouted others.

"I'll tell you tomorrow who won."

(To Be Continued)

## CHILD'S STORY OF THE HUMAN RACE

By Uncle RAY

## CHAPTER 149

Two Gods of Ancient India. India takes up a good part of Southern Asia. It has more than 300 million people—about three times as many as the United States. Most of the people are very poor, having little to eat, living in small huts, and sleeping on the floor.

Some families in India are not poor. They live, in fact, in great luxury with much festivity and splendor. These are the native rulers of India, the so-called "high caste" Indians.

Members of the high castes have somewhat lighter skins than the others. Their forefathers seem to have come into India about 4000 years ago and to have conquered the natives.

Soon after the conquest of India by the light-skinned tribes, there grew up in India many stories about gods and goddesses.

The early people of India had gods who were supposed to command thunder, lightning, fire and wind.

The chief god was called Indra. Sometimes he was called the "hammer god," because he was said to rule over the thunder. Indra, it was declared, used his hammer to make the stars, the sun and earth.

Twin to Indra was Agni, the fire

god. He was credited with "giving the air of life to men."

He stood for the thing which makes man and bird and beast able to walk, fly, or spring—for the spark of life.



Here we see the picture of the fire-god worshipped by the people of ancient India. He was supposed to have two heads and seven or eight hands. In this picture he is riding on a rather mean-looking goat.

## Color Cut-Outs

A Suit for a Big Affair

formance yesterday, he said I might meet her. So I am going to dinner at his house."

"You certainly look pretty enough to meet the King of England!" admired Betty.

Mary's suit material is Alice blue, which is the color halfway between dark and light blue. The hat is a blue straw with orange and yellow flowers that match the orange em broderie on the cape. Put gray tops on her boots.

## 'Anaesthetic Kiss' Is Charged to Doctor

CHICAGO, March 28.—"The anaesthetic kiss" was introduced today with the filing of a suit for \$100,000 by Mrs. Evelyn Siegan, 29, against Dr. Louis M. Myers.

While undergoing examination in the physician's office, Mrs. Siegan charges Dr. Myers put her under an anaesthetic and performed an osculatory operation.

SING-SING

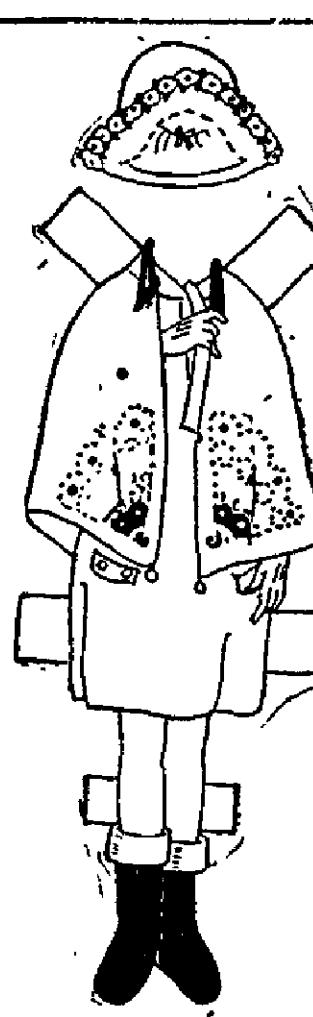
Fifty per cent of the prisoners in Sing-Sing are under 25, and 37 per cent are under 30. The number of boys between 16 and 20, who are serving sentences in New York prisons, is larger today than ever before.

These conditions do not reflect any sudden changes in the "younger generation" of our period. The roots of all were the environment and training of us far back as 30 years ago. Law-abiding adults are reaping the whirlwind of past neglect of youth.

DEAD?

Strange things happen to us in this day and age if we are not constantly "on the job."

Aged Isaac C. Crane meets a friend who grasps and says, "Willy, like you're dead." "Doggone it if I am," says Ike. But he learns that the courts declared him legally dead after a long absence. Now he argues legal reconnection to claim a share of a \$25,000 estate. It will be an interesting fight.



A Suit for a Big Affair

"Oh, oh! Magg has a whole new spring outfit," cried Betty Cut-out as she saw Mary in a suit and flower-trimmed hat walking down the street. "Where are you going wearing kid gloves?"

"I'm going to meet a wonderful Russian violinist," beamed Mary. "She is the guest of Mr. Tucker, our school orchestra leader. Because I got to direct the orchestra at our per-

formance."



## IDEAL HUSBAND SUBJECT OF TALK

Rev. Yeldeaman to Read Letters From Women

"The Ideal Husband and Father" will be the subject of Rev. R. R. Yeldeaman's sermon Sunday night at the First Christian church at 7:30 o'clock. In connection with his sermon Rev. Yeldeaman will read several letters from Port Arthur women, prominent in both club and church circles, regarding their views of an ideal husband and father.

The choir, under the direction of G. N. Eber, will render an appropriate program of music.

So many favorable comments were received by the Stoneburner broadcasting station concerning the program broadcasted by the First Christian church choir Wednesday evening, that Mr. Stoneburner announced yesterday he would install a radio set in the First Christian church for broadcasting each service.

The evening services at the First Christian church have been largely attended the last month, numbers becoming turned away each Sunday night. To cope with this situation, the partition between the main auditorium and the Christian Endeavor room has been removed, thereby making an additional seating capacity for one hundred and fifty. This additional seating room will be used Sunday night.

## New Pastor Begins Series of Sermons

Rev. Charles D. Weidner, pastor of the Congregational church will begin a series of sermons Sunday morning on "The Great Tasks of the Church." The series will be as follows:

March 30: "The Great Task of the Church" or "The Making of Disciples."

April 6: "The Great Task of the Church" or "The People's University."

April 13: "The Great Task of the Church" or "The Part the Church Must Play in National and International Problems."

April 20: "Immortality" or "What Has Modern Science to Say Regarding It?"

## Defense Witnesses Testify For Meador

*By United Press*

SWEETWATER, Texas, March 28.—Defense witnesses were examined today in the trial of William Meador, farmer youth, accused of slaying Asa Rawls.

N. M. Fisher, cattleman, testified the night before the killing with him at his farmhouse. He said the accused slayer had a deep gash on his face which he received in a scuffle with Rawls.

Bob Means, district clerk of Andrews county, told of a telephone call from Andy Meador, the defendant's father, asking for the sheriff and a posse to "come and get a crazy man."

## LaFollette Passes Comfortable Night

*By United Press*

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Senator Robert M. La Follette, ill from pneumonia, passed a comfortable night and was improved this morning, according to members of the family.

La Follette's physician said informally that he was in no immediate danger, except on account of his age and generally weakened condition.

## KING OF ITALY VISITS STRICKEN COMMUNITY

*By United Press*

AMALFI, Italy, March 28.—King Victor Emanuel, who arrived here today to comfort sufferers from the tremendous mud-slides which took more than 100 lives Wednesday, found his way blocked by an avalanche which obstructed a large section of the Rome-Naples railway in the vicinity of Teano. The king finished the journey by motorcar.

## Evangelist Fruzia Speaks Here Sunday

Evangelist D. M. Fruzia of Benmont will speak at the 31 o'clock service Sunday at the DeQueen Park Church of Christ, 212 Eighth street. Evangelist Fruzia has often visited in Port Arthur.

**MORE JOBS IN GERMANY**

BERLIN, March 26.—A notable decrease in unemployment in Germany is reported. A month ago 429,000 unemployed were registered, this being a decrease in one month of 122,000. The number of men working on part time was 401,000, a decrease of 212,000.

Do the Teapot Dome fighters expect to get a bonus?

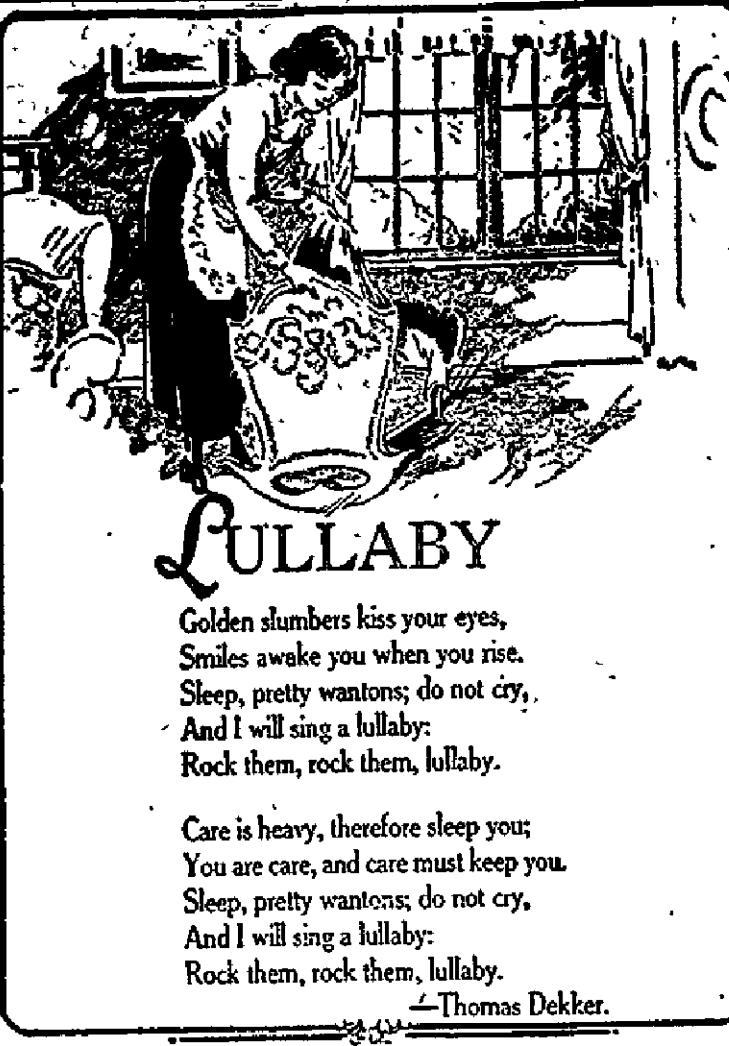
One real sign of spring is when you see a farmer trying to get credit at the seed store.

New York union elevator operators have been given a raise, which will help in their ups and downs.

## RENT A CAR —U— DRIVE IT

Cadillac, \$1.50 per hour  
Ford, \$1.00 per hour

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### ULLABY

Golden slumbers kiss your eyes,  
Smiles awake you when you rise.  
Sleep, pretty wantons; do not cry;  
And I will sing a lullaby:  
Rock them, rock them, lullaby.

Care is heavy, therefore sleep you;  
You are care, and care must keep you.  
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—Thomas Dekker.

## LATEST NEWS FROM LOUISIANA TOWNS

CROWLEY, La.—At a recent meeting of the telephone operators association here, invited by John R. Schrotz of Thibodaux, state division chairman, the following officers were elected: Miss Pearl Coward, president; L. A. Ducharme of Lafayette, vice president; and Miss Valma Duval, of Lafayette, secretary.

CROWLEY, La.—School districts embracing the Mermentau and Manchac parishes defeated school taxes of 2 1/2 mills and 4 mills, respectively, at the election called for levying of taxes to raise funds to continue school for the full period of nine months.

NEW ORLEANS, La.—A total of 13 nurses at Charity hospital here have been suspended for bobbing their hair. It is against the rules of the hospital for the nurses to bob their hair, hospital authorities claiming a

CROWLEY, La.—The Shilling furniture store is moving from its present location in the Duson building to a new building on Parker son avenue, formerly occupied by the Membré building on Parker

RAYNE, La.—Candidates for city office here include for mayor: Alber C. Chapman and Ferrol Richardson; for Dr. J. D. Hunter, Jimmie Kahn, Sylvester Boudreau, Cleopatra Tulon, Valery Hebert, Lozen Legier, Frank Gilbert, and Joseph Knippling; chief of police, Ben H. Bailes, and Ben LeBlanc; executive committee, Dr. J. P. Mauboules, A. J. Dueclos, Joseph Knippling, Martin Petitjean, R. H. Bull, Valery Hebert and Ezra Braud.

LAKE CHARLES, La.—Knapp and East, contractors here, are assembling material for two big jobs in Louisiana recently awarded them. One of these contracts is for the construction of a Baton Rouge automobile concern for a building to cost \$50,000, and the other is for the erection of a two-story brick building to serve as the science hall at S. L. I. La., Lafayette.

LAKE CHARLES, La.—Nugent Johnson, of 3312 Seventeenth street, Gulfport, Miss., is seeking information here for his father, William H. Johnson, who resided in this section in 1884-85. After his mother's death, Nugent Johnson writes his father, placed him in a New Orleans orphanage home.

DE QUINCY, La.—D. H. Lyons, 56, for 20 years a resident of this place and a native of Calcasieu parish, died here. He is survived by his widow and four children. Lyons was at one time master of DeQuincy.

CROWLEY, La.—Two men giving the names of Richard Hoffmann and D. L. Foote were arrested in connection with liquor law violations following a raid on their premises and the seizure of a quantity of liquor.

Given a hearing before City Judge D. T. Cane, they were sentenced to 30 days in jail and fines of \$100 each or 60 days in jail if the fines were not paid. The men took off.

FRANKLIN, La.—The grand jury in session here recommended that dirt roads in the parish be given special attention by county road workers. All parish officials in the parish were commended for their conduct of the affairs of the parish, and also recommended that attention be given to roads along the campus of the Franklin public schools property drained.

WILL TAKE OFF ALL EXCESS FAT

Do you know that there is a simple, safe, effective remedy for overweight? There is, but it is sold only secretly by any man or woman who is losing the shyness of youth? There is another name, older than the trade name of the new famous Alberto-Culver Prescription Tablets. You can well expect to reduce steadily and easily without going through long and tiresome exercise or an unnatural diet. Alberto-Culver Prescription Tablets are sold by all druggists the world over at one dollar for a box, one tablet a day. Write to Alberto-Culver Co., 4612 Woodward Avenue, Detroit, Mich., on receipt of price.

LAKE CHARLES, La.—Fred Shultz, Paris engineer, spent two days here this week inspecting the Lake Charles ship canal.

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At Fourteen Points the New

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## BAN ON OPIUM STEP NEARER

League of Nations May Adopt U. S. Plan

PARIS, March 28.—The United States' efforts to halt world traffic in dope and prevent opium smoking progressed a step today when the League of Nations international commission of opium experts met to draw up two new international conventions and make effective the American program.

Edwin Nerillo, head of the narcotics section of the state department, represented the United States.

The conventions will aim to declare illegal all use of opium, cocaine and their derivatives except for medical and scientific purposes, limiting the amount of world production to the amount needed for such purposes.

Representatives of China, India, and Japan will be consulted regarding production.

## Broken Windlass Delays Steamer

The final whistle had blown, shore lines were cast off, pilot, captain and officers passed the bridge giving orders for getting the tanker Castana underway from the Gulf company's docks Wednesday before it was found the ship could not sail that day, nor until after noon Thursday.

The hitch came when the pilot sang out to the mate standing by the anchor windlass forward to heave her in. The steam throttle was opened, slowly, carefully and the rattle and clang of the big anchor chain awaited. Until Thursday afternoon the answering clatter and ring of the chain was still awaited.

Something had gone wrong with the Castana's windlass, and the anchor couldn't be weighed. Shore lines were made fast again. Boiler fires were lowered, the pilot came back to Port Arthur and the captain went to look for mechanics to repair the broken engine. Repairs were completed Thursday afternoon, and the tanker sailed out for Tampa.

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